THE WEATHER.

Showers Tuesday in interior and Tuesday night on the coast; Wednesday probably fair.

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ROOSEVELT BACK IN THE LIME LIGHT

Trial of His Libel Suit Against Editor Newell Begun

SELECTION OF THE JURORS

Suit Being Hastened Against Newspaper Man Who Alleged That the Colonel "Got Drunk and That Not Infrequently."

Marquette, Mich, May 26.—A suit involving allegations of drunkenness of the part of a former President of the United States will be heard here beginning tomorrow by a jury composed of four miners, three teamsters, two farmers, one blacksmith one locomotive fireman and one woodsman.

The plaintiff Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, who is suing George A. Newett of Ishiping for $10,000 damages because of an editorial charging him with drunkeness probably will be the first tomorrow.

As soon as the jury had been sworn, Judge Richard C. Flannigan ordered the jurors kept in confinement until a verdict is rendeded. "Gentlemen of the jury," said the court, "until you have rendered a verdict in this case, you will be protected from any possible influence other than the testimony which you will hear in the court room.

"You may write to your families but no letters will be delivered to you unless you agreee that they may be first opened by the court."

Court adjourned at 11 o'clock until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

defendant Newett was not present throughout the night session. The defendant Newtee was not present. Many would-be spectators were turned away tonight.

In order to hasten the libel suit of Col. Roosevelt against Editor Geo. A. Newell which went to trial here this afternoon, a night session was held with the purpose of completing the jury.

At the afternoon session 10 veniremen were passed for cause, and as there are but four peremptory challenges allowed each side, two of them are certain to be sworn in as jurors.

The arrival of Col. Roosevelt accompanied by Gifford Pinchot, Truman H. Newberry, James R. Garfield, Jacob A. Riis and others, caused scarcely a ripple on the placid surface of this little city. The distinguished plaintiff entered the court room with rapid strides, but there was no demonstration and presently the spectators had eyes only for the veniremen examined.

George A. Newell, the defendant, whose paper, the Iron Ore, of Ishpeming, Mich., alleged that Col. Roosevelt "got drunk and that not infrequently," sat at a table with his lawyers, William P. Belden, of Ishpeming, and Horace Andrew, of Cleveland. He appeared exhausted from his serious illness and sat most of the time with his eyes closed.

The former President was one of a number occupying seats within the railing, and by his side during most of the afternoon sat Mr. Garfield. Myron Sherwood, a local lawyer, and mine owner, a casual visitor at the trial, by chance occupied the seat on Col. Roosevelt's left, but they found time to whisper a few words to each other which seemed to be of a jocular and pleasing nature, the former President smiling and Sherwood choking off a laugh with difficulty.

The spectators only comfortably filled the room as entrance was barred after all seats had been taken.

During the day Judge Richard C. Flannigan, who presided, received a telegram from Minneapolis as follows: "Don't let this sensational trial continue until I have arrived."

It was signed Jacob Miles.

Judge Flannigan turned the message over to Frank Tyree, who was one of Col. Roosevelt's guards while President, and here as a witness. Chief of Police of Miles' City telegraphed that Miles is mentally unsound and that he has been placed under arrest.

James H. Pound, of Beloit, questioned the venire for the plaintiff. His assistant attorneys are William H. VanBenschoten, of New York, and W. H. Hall, of Marquette. The Detroit lawyer made it a point to ask possible jurors as to their acquaintance with the principals in the defendant's legal camp, and about their acquaintance with H. O. Young.

Mr. Young was elected to Congress from the Marquette district as a Republican, but the Progressive candidate, McDonald, set up a claim in the House that he had a moral right to the election as a large number of persons who wished to vote for him had innocently used erroneous ballots. Before a decision was reached at Washington Young resigned. Counsel for the plaintiff are interested in the reports that remarks made by Young really inspired Newell to write the alleged libelous article.

Opposed counsel who put the questions differently, asked if a venireman would be prejudiced against either party to the suit:

"Would the fact that the defendant is a neighbor or citizen of this community while the plaintiff is a resident of a distant State, prejudice you against the plaintiff?" was the way in effect that Mr. Pound put it. Mr. Belden would ask: "Would the fact that one party to this suit is a former President of the United States while the other is a mere citizen cause you to give more weight to the statement of one side than to those of the other?"

In all, five veniremen were dismissed for cause, two of these because they failed to comprehend simple questions asked them. One of them said he could render a fair decision, "regardless of the evidence," whereat a titter went round the room, but subsided before the court could utter a warning that hung upon his lips.

The other seemed stricken dumb, an apparent victim of stage fright. He was a large blonde man, with a drooping mustache, and hair roached high. His lips moved sometimes, but the words would not come. To give him time to recover Judge Flannigan deferred the examination, but after an hour he was still unable to articulate, and was excused. He left the building and went to his boarding house and after the court took a recess crowds on their way home observed him through a window, talking with great animation to a friend.

TURMOIL OVER MURDER CASE

No Abatement in Factional Warfare Being Waged in Atlanta Over Investigation of the Killing of Mary Phagan.

Atlanta, Ga., May 26.—There was no abatement today of the turmoil which has arisen in local political and police circles by the charges of bribe offering, graft and incompetency in connection with the investigation of the Mary Phagan murder case. Statements and counter-statements were issued by each faction, each attacking the other side to the controversy.

One of the interesting developments of the day was the publishing of statements indicating that two of the best known private detective agencies in the country, that have been engaged in the attempt to solve the Phagan murder, are at loggerheads. Another angle to this collateral quarrel was given when it became known that the local police officials have been seeking information from police departments of other cities to discredit the representative here of one of the agencies.

Will Make Charges.

Chief of Police James L. Beavers, and Chief of Detectives N. A. Lanford today issued statements declaring their intention of laying before the Fulton county grand jury next Friday charges that Mayor James G. Woodard and Attorney Thomas B. Felder and others attempted to obtain possession of certain papers relating to the Phagan case held by the police. Chief Beavers also declared he will ask the grand jury to investigate Felder's charges that graft exists in the city police and detective departments.

Mayor Woodward, in his statement issued today, denied Chief Beavers' assertion that he was eager for the restoration of the segregated district. Woodward also declared that if Beavers and Lanford instigated the scheme to use the secret telephonic device against him, and Felder, they were "unfit to hold office."

"LIGHT HORSE HARRY LEE."

Remains to be Conveyed From Georgia to His Native State.

Roanoke, Va., May 26.—A committee of the Virginia Legislature starts for Georgia today for the purpose of bringing to his native State the remains of Gen. Henry Lee, better known as "Light Horse Harry Lee" the father of Gen. Robert E. Lee.

Gen. Lee died at Savannah on his return journey from Cuba, where he had been on account of his health. He was buried on Cumberland Island, near that city, and his grave has since been cared for by the Georgia Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The General Assembly of 1861 appropriated the sum of $500 for the purpose of having his remains brought to Virgina, but the War between the States prevented.

At the last session of the General Assembly a committee of three was appointed to carry into effect the act of 1861.

The remains will be interred in the vault of the Lee family in the Lee chapel, at Washington and Lee University, but without ceremonies, save an escort of cadet corps of the Virginia Military Institute, and students of the Washington and Lee University. The committee consists of Hon. Hugh A. White, member of the House from Rock Bridge county, chairman; Hon. John O. Daniels, member from the counties of Loudoun and Fauquir, and Hon. John M. Hart, of Roanoke, State Senator for the Fourth district.

"YOUNG MAN, STAY EAST."

Assistant Secretary of Navy's Advice to A. & M. Graduates.

Raleigh, N. C., May 26.—"Young man, go West,' should be changed to 'Young man, stay East'," Franklin Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, said tonight when he made the annual address at the A. & M. College commencement.

Mr. Roosevelt was discussing the exodus from the farms many years ago, a process of "robbing Peter to pay Paul", he said. He observed that during that period there had been such abandonment of the farms that for the past ten years the food production has been stationery while the population has increased 21 per cent.

Mr. Roosevelt, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, was the guest at a reception tonight, leaving on a midnight train.

SUFFRAGETTES VEHEMENT.

The Militant Leader is Returned to Holloway Jail.

London, May 26.—Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, leader of the militant suffragettes, was tonight returned to Holloway jail, having in the opinion of the authorities recovered her health sufficiently to serve another period of her three years' sentence. Mrs. Pankhurst, evidently not strong when arraigned at the Bow street police court, declared vehemently that she would continue her hunger strike until she died or the government gave women their vote.

When the gates of Holloway jail opened to receive her, a score of militant suffragettes tried to rush the prison and the warders had difficutly in preventing them from entering with their leader. For a long time they remained outside shouting, "We will keep on fighting until we win."

Washington, May 26.—News was received here today that Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who is ill with Mastoiditis at Atlantic City, had suffered a relapse. Members of the family and the family physician arranged to leave for Atlantic City tomorrow.

TO INVESTIGATE CURRENCY SYSTEM

Committee Submits Questions to Bankers and Financial Experts

ATTEMPT TO REMEDY DEFECTS

Senate Banking and Currency Committee Makes Strong Attack on Nation's Monetary Problem—Will Delve Thoroughly in Subject.

Washington, May 26.—The Senate Banking and Currency committee began its investigation of what is the matter with the Nation's currency system, and how its defects should be remedied, late today, when a list of questions to be sent to bankers and financial experts was approved and prepared for immediate distribution.

There are 32 questions in the list, enough the committee believed, after careful consideration to delve thoroughly into the subject of currency reform. With them to the financial experts will go a letter suggesting answers be given to such as seem worth while.

"These questions," the letter says, "are not to be understood as intimating what point of view will be taken by the committee, nor even by the member who has proposed any particular question."

The questions summarized follow:

"What are the essential defects of our banking and currency system?

"Enumerate its advantages and disadvantages, and what purposes are to be attained by an improved system.

"Should National banks contine to have a bond-secured currency, and should present requirements for such banks be changed?"

"Should elastic currency be authorized, and, if so, should it be limited and to what amount; should it be notes of individual banks, a central reserve association, a number of reserve associations or the treasury?

"If such notes are from the treasury, should they be on pledge of security, and of what kind; and should they be a first lien of the government on the concern to which issued?

"Should all currency have a gold basis, and how should it be issued, and what per cent. of reserve should be required?

"What should be the limit, if notes are issued to or by an association, and should it be based on capital stock and surplus?

"What device should be used to retire such currency when demand subsides?

"Should a tax be laid on the currency, graduated to conform with the volume issued by the reserve association, or with the length of time outstanding?

"Should there be a central association with branches or reserve associations, with or without a central control, and if a number under such control should it be wholly with representatives of the associations wholly by the government or by both?

"Should such association have a geographical territory and exercise its reserve functions there exclusively, or should members of these be permitted to choose which near association they should join, disregarding fixed territory?

"Should State banks or Trust companies be stockholders in such association and under what conditions?

"How many regional reserve associations should there be?

"What should be the minimum capital stock, and what amount to each bank?

"How should directors of such association be elected, and in what numbers, powers and terms of office?

"What should be the general nature of business of such association, should it accept credits other than those of banks, pay into deposits discount double name commercial paper for member banks on equal terms to all, and should its discount rate be public, subject to weekly cuange?

"Should it loan directly to member banks with or without collateral security, with interest equal for all the public and subject to weekly change, and should reserve associations be permitted to deal with each in purchase and sale of paper, exchange security and gold?

"Should government deposits be withdrawn from banks and placed with such association; how should they be apportioned; at what interest, if any, and how soon could this be done?

"Should a National bank keep reserve except that in its vaults, or should it be allowed to use other associations; and if so, how much?

"Should a reserve association be required to maintain a reserve within its deposits; what amount, in gold only or lawful money?

"Should liability of each member bank be limited to its stock subscription, and if not what should be its liability?

"Should each association do business with banks other than members, and of what character?

"Should National banks be permitted upon payment of a commission to loan their credits by accepting bills arising out of the ordinary courses of commerce, and should reserve associations be permitted to deal in these acceptances in transactions with banks or other associations?

"Should there be a limit to such acceptances and what limit?

"What dividends should associations be permitted to pay their banks, and should any share of the profits of an association be distributed to member banks in proportion to the average deposits during the year?

"What is your opinion of the plan of the National Money Commission, and what modifications would you suggest if any?"

Senator Nelson, Republican member of the Senate committee on Banking and Currency, introduced today a bill proposing a system of "asset-secured" currency for National banks, under which the banks of the country could,

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TO PROHIBIT FRIEDMANN CURE

Health Officer Would Stop Use of German Physician's Tuberculosis Treatment in City of New York—Delay Culpable.

New York, May 26.—Dr. Joseph J. O'Connell, health officer of the port of New York, sent a letter today to Health Commissioner Lederle, requesting him to submit to the Board of Health at its next meeting a resolution prohibiting the administration of the Friedmann treatment for tuberculosis in New York, "until such time as those interested affirmatively in its administration shall satisfy the health department of its innoculous effect.

"Reports of the investigator of your department," reads the letter in part, "are that dangers which might be apprehended in such a form of treatment are actually present therein. He finds that patients subjected to this treatment have not improved, but have lost ground.

"He finds that where tuberculosis condition had affected one side prior to inoculation with the serum, there was after such inoculation an unnaturally rapid development of the tubercular process on the hitherto healthy side, which indicates that the operation of the alleged cure had a tendency to accelerate rather than retard the progress of the disease.

"It seems to me that it would be culpable for us to longer hesitate, and that our duty now is to insist upon such a regulation and supervision of this enterprise, as shall prevent the perpetration upon the public of a dangerous and cruel fraud.

"There has been time and opportunity in plentiful measure extended to Dr. Friedmann, and those who propose similar remedies for tuberculosis, to demonstrate the therapeutic value of their treatments, but there has been no such demonstration of value. On the other hand, we have before us reports of the gravest character."

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

National Proceedings of Interest Briefly Outlined.

Washington, May 26.—Senate in session 2 P. M.

Finance committee continued hearings on tariff bill, President Kingsley of New York Life Insurance Company, testifying before Senator Williams' committee.

Senator Overman introduced a resolution to abrogate former President Taft's order putting fourth class postmasters under civil service.

Senator Smith, of South Carolina, demanded an investigation and action against persons who sold cotton to cotton pool members who were indicted in 1909.

Passed resolution giving Naval committee power to investigate armor plate contracts.

Senator Nelson introduced a bill proposing a system of asset-secured currency for National banks.

Resolution for investigation of West Virgina coal strike went over until tomorrow.

Adjourned at 5:20 P. M. until 2 P. M. tomorrow.

House: Not in session, meets at noon, Tuesday.

ARMOR PLATE PROBLEM.

Senate Adopts Resolution to Investigate Situation.

Washington, May 26.—Investigation of the armor plate situation was authorized by a resolution adopted today by the Senate. The Naval Affairs committee will meet Wednesday to consider instituting a thorough inquiry into armor plate bids and contracts, and probably into the question of establishing a government armor factory.

Today's aotion was a result of discussion following Mr. Ashurst's recent attacks upon the so-called "armor combine," the introduction by the same Senator of a bill to provide for a government plant, and statements from Secretary Daniels declaring that the department cannot get competitive bids for armor plate, and suggesting a government plant as the only relief.

Senator Tillman, chairman of the Naval Affairs committee, tonight announced that he favored the plan proposed in the Ashurst bill. "We will never get any relief from the present situation," he said, "until we get an armor plate factory of our own."

OUTLINES

Factional warfare is still being waged in Atlanta in connection with investigation of the Phagan murder.

Col. Roosevelt's $10,000 libel suit against Editor George A. Newett will come up for trial this morning at Marquette, Mich.

Warrants have been issued for the persons who staged the prize fight in which Luther McCarty met his death last Saturday.

A resolution has been submitted designed to prohibit the administration of the Friedmann treatment for tuberculosis in the city of New York.

President Wilson denounced the lobby system in Washington yesterday, and declared that the public should be relieved from such an "intolerable burden."

The 23rd annual United Confederate Veterans reunion wil be formally opened at Chattanooga today. Thousands of veterans and visitors are attending.

Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader, was returned yesterday to the Holloway jail to serve another period of her three-year sentence.

The Senate Banking and Currency Committee in its investigation of the Nation's currency problem, has prepared for immediate distribution a list of 32 questions which will be sent out to bankers and financial experts.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 to 2 3-4 per cent.; ruling rate 2 3-4, closing bid 2; time loans steady, 60 and 90 days 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Flour, Wheat and Corn, firm. Rosin quiet. Turpentine firm. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.00; middling gulf 12.25; sales 400 bales.

Hear the Orchestra.

An unusually inviting programme for this evening at the Grand Theatre.

(Advertisement.)

VETERANS GATHER AT CHATTANOOGA

Thousands Await the Formal Opening of Confederate Reunion

THE VISITORS ARE WELCOMED

Contest Waged for Next Place of Meeting—Threatening Weather Fails to Dampen Ardor of the War Heroes.

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 26.—Camp A. P. Stewart and the thousands of visitors in the city tonight eagerly awaited the formal opening tomorrow of the Twenty-Third Annual United Confederate Reunion, which will continue for three days.

Interest on the eve of the first session centered in the weather, the election of a commander in chief, and the contest for the next annual reunion city.

Threatening clouds hovered on the brow of Lookout Mountain the greater part of the day. Despite the forecast for fair weather, there was a slight precipitaiton early in the afternoon and again tonight. This rain only welded closer together the intertwining United States and Confederate flags and bunings with which the city is abundantly adorned. Fair weather is predicted for tomorrow.

While indications tonight were that there is a possibility of a contest over the election of a commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans, it was generally believed that General Bennett H. Young, the present commander, would in all probabnty be re-elected. General Young served during the war between the States under the command of General Nathan Bedford Forrest, known throughout the country as the "wizard of the saddle."

General Young was chosen at the last reunion held in Macon, Ga.

Friends of General K. M. VanZant of Fort Worth, Texas, Commander of the Trans-Mississippi Department, whose name has been mentioned as a possible successor to General Young, tonight announced that the Texas general had declined to allow his name to be suggested as a candiadte for the office.

General vanZandt last year was General Young's closest contestant for the honor.

Contest for Next Reunion.

Tulsa, Okla., and Jacksonville, Fla., delegations tonight entered the field for the 1914 reunion. Other cities in the contest include Nasnville, Tenn., Richmond, Va., Baltimore, Md., and San Antonio, Texas. A delegation from Denver, Colo., also is in the city, endeavoring to secure either the 1914 or 1915 reunion for that city.

Activities at Camp A. P. Stewart late today assumed regular army proportions.

The first "rashions" of the encampment were served in the "mess" tents tonight. This impromptu dining room has a capacity of 2,500, and was filled though many veterans obtained food in the city. Steaming tins of coffee and abundant supplies of food were served to all.

After the evening meal, camp fires were kindled. Seated around these, on cots, veterans recounted most of the important battles and many minor engagements which occurred during the war between the States.

Taps was sounded early, and the stillness of the camp was undisturbed except for the tramp of incoming detachments which continued to arrive during the night.

Visitors Welcomed.

At a meeting of the Confederate States Memorial Association held this afternoon, a cordial welcome was extended to the visiting veterans by this organization of women. A glowing tribute was paid the members of the association present in an address by A. N. Shambliss, representing the Sons f Confederate veterans.

Radical Changes Predicted.

Radical changes in the work of the Confederate States Memorial Association were predicted by Mrs. W. J. Beehan, of New Orleans. In an address before the members of the body she declared that too much attention had been devoted to honoring the memory of the dead and not enough toward making provision for the living. She asserted that resolutions would be introduced tomorrow which if adopted would materially change the policy of the organization in this respect.

An enthusiastic meeting the first of the reunion was held tonight by the Sons of Confederate Veterans. A feature of the occasion was the singing of the Confederate choir composed of young women from Virginia and Tennessee. All the selections rendered were Southern melodies and brought forth repeated chers from the sons of veterans and veterans present.

Among the speakers were Gen. J. P. Norfleet, of Memphis, commander-in-chief of the Sons of Confederate Veterans; Gen. Godes Richardson, of Georgia; W. McDonald Lee, of Virginia, and A. W. Hakes, of Maryland.

The Side-Saddle Order.

The official orders of General J. P. Hickman, commander of the Tennessee Division of United Confederate Veterans, and grand marshal of the Veterans' parade, prohibiting women from riding astride during the reunion here, has brought forth many expressions of protest and commendation.

Opposition to the order is being voiced largely by some of the sponsors and maids of honor affected.

In defense of General Hickman's order, Dr. A. A. Lyon, of Nashville, Tenn. Secretary of the Army and Navy Medical Association, U. C. V., today is quoted as follows:

"This unnatural cross-saddle movement appears but the logica outgrowth of this Twentieth Century agitation among a lot of distempered women, who are clamoring for 'women's rights.'

"It is known that Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mr. Roosevelt's eldest daughter, and Miss Helen Taft eschewed the cross saddle entirely, and if President Wilson will pardon even an allusion to his daughters on this subject, I will wager an imaginary bet of a five dollar gold piece against the stump of a cigar that the public will never have occasion to associate any one of them with the cross-saddle.

"Women have been encroaching on us poor fellows for years; they robbed us of our hats, coats, shirts, collars, top boots; have long been tugging at our trousers, and, I understand, they began a short time ago to tinker with our socks. But, worst of all, they have jumped astride our saddle horses.

"On the occasion of a recent visit to Washington and New York city, I satisfied myself that the truly refined and elegant ladies of those cities who exercised on horseback, rode on side saddle."

Indications today are that General Hickman's order will be rigidly enforced.

NOMINATIONS ARE CONFIRMED

Several Postmasters in North Carolina to Get Commissions, Including Green, of Wilmington—Washington News Notes.

Wilmington Star Bureau,
23 Wyatt Building.

Washington, D. C., May 26.—The Senate late this evening confirmed the nomination of H. McL. Green to be postmaster at Wilmington to succeed Thomas E. Wallace, the present incumbent. There was no question to Green's confirmation. He was the President's choice for the Wilmington plum and no Senator interposed objection when his name was brought before the Senate in executive session.

Other nominations confirmed today were Howard C. Curtis, Southport; Duncan L. Webster, Siler City; William H. Ethridge, Selma; T. J. Caudell, St. Paul's; L. W. Yarborough, Clayton; Plato C. Rollins, Rutherforton W. C. Hall, Black Mountain; W. D. Pethel, Spencer; Joseph E. Stallings, Spring Hope; John Gwaltney, Taylorsville; W. H. Stearns, Tryon.

The nomination of Mrs. N. G. Rowlands to be postmaster at West Raleigh was held up. It is not known just what objection was made to her confirmation.

Judge Walter Clark, of Raleigh, Senataor Overman, Ransdell, and Bacon and Secretaries Bryan and Daniels called upon President Wilson today and urged the President to appoint E. J. Hale, of Fayetteville, to some ambassadorship. Major Hale is a close friend of Secretary Bryan and it is probable that he will be given a good berth in the near future.

Governor E. M. Ammons, of Colorado, a former Macon county boy, was greeted by many North Carolinians here today. Governor Ammons was on the Senate floor for some time and accompanied by Senator Overman was introduced to many of the Senators and others about the Senate. Governor Ammons declares that he intends to make a special trip east within a short time for no other purpose than to take another look at North Carolina and visit his relatives some of whom are now in the State.

There will be few if any changes in North Carolina committee assignments when the House committees are reorganized. It is understood unofficially that Representative Pou will again be selected to head the Committe on Claims and in addition will be ranking member of the all-important Rules Committee. Representative Godwin will continue as chairman of the Committee on Reform in the Civil Service, Webb will remain on Judiciary and Patents; Page on Appropriations; Small on Rivers and Harbors; Kitchin on Ways and Means, and the rest of the delegation will retain their former Committee assignments.

Representative Pou will go to Smithfield tomorrow where he will make the commencement address before the Smithfield High School.

Quite a number of attorneys and railroad officials are here looking after matters before the Inter-State Commerce Commission. T. M. Emerson, of Wilmington, president of the A. C. L.; J. H. Pou, of Raleigh; J. H. Rodman, of Portsmouth, chief counsel of the Seaboard; Clement Manly, of Winston-Salem; D. G. Giles, of Marion, and R. H. Simmon, of Monroe, are among the visitors.

Major Hugh Love, of Waynesville, who has been spending a few days in Washington, returned home tonight.

WILL HOLD INQUEST.

In Connection With Collapse of Municipal Pier at Long Beach.

Long Beach, Cal., May 26.—Evidence to be presented Thursday at the inquest of the 36 persons who lost their lives in the collopse Saturday of a portion of the municipal pier will hear directly on the question of who was responsible for the condition of the structure.

Rev. I. B. Kilborne, age 84, one of the injured, died this afternoon. This brings the total number of deaths up to 37.

James Twombly, city building inspector said today that the virbrations caused by the Empire day parade marching upon the pier were responsible for the collpase.

"An expert inspection just before the disaster," he added, "would have failed to disclose anything wrong with the pier."

Clarence Walker, banker and head of the Citizens Relief committee said today, that a fund sufficient to pay for the funerals of the dead and the hospital expenses of the injured, would be guaranteed by the city of Long Beach. Nearly 200 were hurt, 65 of them seriously.

COURT RECESSES.

No Decision in State Rate Case Announced.

Washington, May 26.—The Supreme Court took recess until June 9th, when it will again recess until Saturday June 14th, which will be the final meeting day this term, unless in view of the condition of the docket it may then be deemed best to hold another decision day. No decision in the State rate case was announced.

WILSON ASSAILS THE LOBBY SYSTEM

Declares the Public Should be Relieved From the "Intolerable Burden"

THE SITUATION UNBEARABLE

His Denunciation of Conditions Interpreted as Referring to Efforts Being Made Against Free Raw Wool and Sugar.

Washington, May 26.—President Wilson stirred Congressional circles today with an emphatic statement denouncing the "industrious" and "insidious" lobby in Washington attempting to create public sentiment against certain features of the Underwood tariff bill. This was accepted at the Capitol as referring to the unusual efforts being made against free raw wool and free sugar.

While the President was declaring it his opinion that the public should be relieved "from the intolerable burden," Senators and Representatives were viewing on every hand the evidences of the lobbyists which beset them; and significance was attached to a statement made by Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance committee, which now has the tariff bill in hand, that, in his opinion, the lobbyists were not making any headway.

The President's declaration that the lobbyists were so thick "that one could not throw a brick without hitting one," revived interest in two bills recently introduced in the House and Senate to regulate lobbying on pending legislation.

Would Restrict Lobbyists.

Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, and Representative C. B. Smith, of New York, have declared their intention to press bills they have introduced which would restrict the work of lobbyists, require their registration and require that they be licensed to appear before any committee or to carry on a campaign for or against proposed legislation. Heavy penalties would be imposed for violations.

Democratic leaders were almost unanimous in support of the President's statement maintaining that they are well and able to handle the important pending tariff legislation and that sugar and wool will be thoroughly considered and discussed by the Finance committee and Democratic caucus before it is reported. No change of policy relating to either schedule has yet been determined, however, it is emphatically declared by the members of the committee.

The President's Statement.

The President issued the following statement: "I think that the public ought to know the extraordinary exertions being made by the lobby in Washington to gain recognition for certain alterations of the tariff bill. Washington has seldom seen so numerous, so industrious, or so insidious a lobby. The newspapers are being filled with paid advertisements calculated to mislead the judgment of public men not only, but also the public opinion of the country itself. There is every evidence that money without limit is being spent to sustain this lobby and to create an appearance of a pressure of public opinion antagonistic to some of the chief items of the tariff bill.

"It is of serious interest to the country that the people at large should have no lobby and be voiceless in these matters, while great bodies of astute men seek to create an artificial opinion, and to overcome the interests of the public for their private profit. It is thoroughly worth the while of the people of this country to take knowledge of this matter. Only public opinion can check and destroy it.

"The government in all its branches ought to be relieved from this intolerable burden, and this constant interruption to the calm progress of debate. I know that in this I am speaking for the members of the two Houses who would rejoice as much as I would to be released from this unbearable situation."

May Free-list Wheat.

Following the statement made several days ago by Senator Williams, of the Finance sub-committee which has the agricultural schedule under consideration that the duty on live stock and the products and grains and their products would be equalized, it was reported today that the committee had agreed to put wheat on the free list along with wheat flour. In the Underwood bill wheat is given a duty of ten cents a bushel while wheat flour is free of duty. It also was reported that the committee probably would recommend removal of the 10 per cent. duty on cattle, sheep and hogs in conformity to the free listing of all fresh meats in the Underwood bill.

Senator Pomerene, of Ohio, said today that a large delegation of manufacturers of clothing for men and women, from Cleveland, Cincinnati and other Ohio cities called and informed him that they did not care one way or another about the tariff duties placed on ready-made clothes.

"They told me," said Senator Pomerene "that they were ready right now to go into foreign markets and compete with the foreign manufacturers of ready-made clothes. What they are asking is that the date for putting all the schedules of the tariff bill into effect be delayed long enough after the passage of the bill to enable them to adapt their business to the new rates." These men, the Senator said, represented the biggest centers of the ready-made clothes industry in this country outside of New York. He added that their request that the date of the going into effect of the tariff rates be postponed was being given serious consideration. Senate subcommittees which will close oral hearings tomorrow night were pushed to the limit all day and tonight some of them hearing as many as 30 represen-

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

BASEBALL - YACHTING - TENNIS - GOLF - MOTORING

GRIFF AND MACK SPLIT TWO

Broke Even on First Double-header at Philadelphia—Browns Won From Tigers—Yanks Dropped One More.

In their first double-header of the season played yesterday, the Philadelphia Athletics copped the first game from the Washington Senators aided by Washington's misplays, but dropped the tail ender to the Climbers by a score of 9 to 2, the excuse for this being—Walter Johnson. Johnson won the game before the seventh inning, when he turned it over to Boehling to finish. Boehling and Groom were the victims on the mound in the first game, both allowing a total of only six hits, while the Athletic pitchers only gave up three safeties.

The St. Louis Browns won a ninth inning victory from the Tigers. At the beginning of the ninth the game was tied up, 2 to 2, but with the bases full Brief sent a roller to Busch and scored one of the runners.

Chance's Yankees went just a little lower into the bottomless pit by dropping yesterday's conflict to the Boston Red Sox. This Speaker figured muchly in the winning of the game for the Champs.

Walter Johnson—That's All.

Philadelphia, May 26.—The Philadelphia American Leaguers indulged in their first double-header of the season today and split even with Washington 4 to 9 and 9 to 2. Washington's misplays in the first game were costly. There was nothing to the second game but Walter Johnson. He pitched for seven innings then was relieved by Boehling.

Washington	....	000	000	000	—0	3	3
Philadelphia	....	000	020	20x	—4	6	0

Boehling, Groom and Henry and Williams; Houck and Lapp; time 1:50; umpires Evans and Hart.

Second game:

Washington	....	031	120	101	—9	12	2
Philadelphia	....	001	000	001	—2	5	0

Johnson, Boehling and Ainsmith and Williams; Bush, Taff, Pennock and Lapp and Schang; time 1:53; umpires Evans and Hart.

Browns Won in Ninth.

St. Louis, May 26.—The St. Louis Americans won a ninth-inning victory today when Brief, batting for Maisel, sent a roller to Busch that scored Austin. The bases were full. St. Louis made two of its four runs on homers. Detroit used three pitchers on the mound and a fourth as a pinch hitter.

Detroit	.....	100	000	002	—3	7	1
St. Louis	.....	000	110	011	—4	6	1

Dauss, Klawitter, Hall and Stanage; Weilman and Alexander; time 1:55; umpires Hildebrand and Connolly.

Yanks Yanked Still Lower.

New York, May 26.—Bedient for Boston, won a pitchers' battle from McConnell today and New York lost 3 to 1. The world's champions won on two scores in the fourth, on Yerkes' and Speakers' singles, Speaker's steal, Derrick's error and Janvrin's sacrifice fly. Wolter was benched in the third for protesting a decision.

Boston	.....	000	200	001	—3	7	1
New York	.....	100	000	000	—1	4	4

Bedient and Carrigan; McConnell and Sweeney; time 2:00; umpires Egan and O'Loughlin.

SET NEW TRACK RECORD.

Rudolpho Beat All Records in Kentucky Handicap.

Louisville, Kr., May 26.—"Rudolfo", a four-year-old colt, well ridden by Jockey Loftus, won the Kentucky handicap, the richest American turf event at Douglas Park today and set a new track record of 2:05 4-5 for the mile and a quarter. Officially the track was pronounced "good" but the track record was equalled once and broken three times in the six races of the opening programme of the meeting.

The eleven starters in the handicap included some of the crack three-year-olds that have shown class at Spring meetings, but the race went to an older horse and gained a point for those who contend a really good horse is at its best as a four-year-old. Rudolfo won the race from the three-year "Ten Point," after the latter had led for most of the distance. Away badly, Loftus forced the Son of Sir Huron or Batts-Watoma into second place at three-quarters. With Go Well third, this position was maintained until in the stretch when the three-year-old faltered and Rudolfo under urging, forged to the front to win by a length. Ten Point tired rapidly in the last furlong and had to be ridden out to get second place by half a length from Annie Port, which showed remarkable speed in the last quarter mile. Hamilton was close up to Ten Point when the former was running his race in the first mile, but quit badly and Foundation, to which many Westerners had pinned their hopes and their money, failed to show ability commensurate with his showing as a two-year-old.

Buckhorn suffered interference at two turns and finished far in the ruck. Rudolfo paid more than 8 to 1.

The Kentucky handicap which featured the car for the opening of the meeting at Douglas Park, carried $10,000 added money and was worth to H. H. Emmons, owner of the winner, $12,150.

Summary: Rudolfo 119, Loftus $18.10; $7.00; $5.20; Ten Point, 110; Gross, $4.80; $3.40; Any Port, 100; McCabe, $9.80.

Buck Horn, Hamilton, Frog Legs, Go Well, Miss Thorpe, Flora Fina, Milton B., Foundation, also ran.

Fire Sunday Afternoon.

An alarm was sent in at 5:06 P. M. Sunday from box 411, the fire being at 108 Wright street, on property belonging to Mrs. S. A. Record and occupied by J. W. Overby, a stable and carriage house, from unknown cause, caught and were burned, together with a buggy and some household goods stored in the place. The loss is about $300.

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∴ STANDING OF THE TEAMS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	22	10	.688
Cleveland	24	12	.667
Washington	19	14	.576
Chicago	21	16	.568
St. Louis	17	24	.415
Boston	15	19	.441
Detroit	15	23	.395
New York	9	24	.273

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	22	7	.759
Brooklyn	19	14	.576
New York	16	14	.533
St. Louis	18	17	.529
Chicago	18	17	.514
Pittsburg	16	11	.457
Boston	11	18	.379
Cincinnati	10	25	.286

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At St. Louis 4; Detroit 3.
At New York 1; Boston 3.
At Philada. 4; Washington 0.
Second: Philada. 2; Wash. 9
At Cleveland-Chicago, rain.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At Cleveland 8; Chicago 1.
At St. Louis 4; Detroit 7.
Second: St. Louis 6; Detroit 8.

At Brooklyn 5; Phila. 8 (11 in.).
At Boston 2; New York 7.
Other postponed, rain.

SUNDAY GAMES.

At Chicago 9; St. Louis 2.
At Cincinnati 1; Pittsburg 0.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Boston at New York.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Detroit at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cleveland.

Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
St. Louis at Chicago.
New York at Boston.

IN THE MINORS

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

At Charleston, 1; Savannah, 5.
At Columbus, 2; Albany, 0.
At Jacksonville, 1; Macon, 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

At Atlanta, 8; New Orleans, 3.
At Chattanooga, 4; Mobile, 0.
At Birmingham, 1; Montgomery, 0
At Nashville-Memphis—rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Minneapolis, 1; Milwaukee, 3.
At Indianapolis-Louisville—rain.

VIRGIN.A LEAGUE.

At Portsmouth, 3; Newport News, 2.
At Petersburg, 6; Norfolk, 0.
At Roanoke, 7; Richmond, 1.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Baltimore, 4; Newark, 2.
At Providence, 2; Jersey City, 3.
At Montreal, 6; Toronto, 2.

KILLED BY MOTORCYCLE.

Young Man at Newbern Meets Instant Death on Pavement.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 26.—Forrest Lee, a young white man, whose home is at Bridgeton, just across Neuse river from Newbern, and who was a member of the crew of the revenue cutter Pamlico, stationed at this port, was instantly killed here late this afternoon, when he was thrown from a motorcycle while speeding up East Front street, at a rate of 60 miles an hour. The young man purchased the machine, a nine-horse power motorcycle, last Saturday, and was not familiar with its mechanism. This afternoon he took it out for a spin over the city and had been riding only a short time when the accident occurred. On reaching East Front street he opened the throttle, and those who witnessed the accident say that he was literally "flying" over the smooth paving. Near the intersection of a short street there is a curve, and on reaching this the machine dashed against the curb, and the rider landed head-first against a tree, breaking his skull, upper and lower jaw, right hip and right leg. The motorcycle was badly damaged.

SMALLPOX AT CHAPEL HILL.

Compulsory Vaccination Ordered—Cases Segregated.

Raleigh, N. C., May 26.—Three smallpox cases at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill today resulted in an order for compulsory vaccination of the remaining student body. The faculty declared tonight that the segregation of the cases has been so thorough that no danger attends the commencement exercises at which Vice President Marshall will be the speaking attraction next week. The outbreak is believed to have resulted from athletic trips.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

At Asheville 4; Raleigh 5. (10 innings)
At Durham 5; Greensboro 2.
At Winston 4; Charlotte3.

Standing of the Teams

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	16	11	.593
Durham	16	12	.571
Winston	15	12	.556
Raleigh	15	13	.536
Asheville	11	17	.393
Greensboro	10	18	.357

WARRANTS ARE ISSUED.

For Persons Who Staged Prize Fight in Which McCarty Met Death.

Calgary, Albert, May 26.—Warrants were issued early today for the arrest of Tommy Burns, who staged the fight in which Luther McCarty met his death; William McCarney, McCarty's manager; Referee D. Smith, and several trainers.

It is understood that the men will be charged with complicity in manslaughter.

Arthur Pelky, McCarty's opponent, arrested on a charge of manslaughter, was to have a preliminary hearing this morning, but owing to the decision of the physicians that McCarty's death resulted from dislocation of the neck, and not heart failure, as first announced, it was anticipated the hearing would be adjourned awaiting the result of the coroner's inquest.

It developed today that eight ounce gloves instead of the customary five ounce gloves, were used by the fighters in Saturday's tragic fray. This became known when members of the Northwest mounted police seized the gloves for evidence to be presented to the coroner's jury this evening.

McCarty and Pelky had agreed to use the lesser weight gloves, and, it is said, when the heavier ones were brought into the ring with the excuse that the five-ounce gloves unintentionally had been left in Calgary, which is five miles from the scene of the fight, McCarty's manager objected to their use until McCarty overruled him.

C. R. Mitchell, acting premier of Alberta, said that the law which prohibits professional fighting in Alberta would be rigidly enforced.

MAKES HURDLE RECORD.

Corey, of Chicago, Beats World Record Yesterday.

Chicago, May 26.—Corey, the University High School (Chicago) athlete made a world's inter-scholastic record in the 220 yard hurdles in the University of Michigan's school meet at Ann Arbor Saturday, his friends claimed today. Corey's time was 24 2-4 seconds, while the best time ever made in the event by a preparatory school athlete according to the A. A. U. Manual, is 25 seconds.

COMING INTO HIS OWN

"Rube Marquard allowed just six hits in yesterday's game, pitching the entire nine innings, and won from Boston, seven to two. The lean Frenchman is fast rounding into perfect form and is expected to be in his prime in the shank of the season, when games will count most in the won column.

PHILS FIND NEW VICTIMS

Downed Three Run Lead And Won From Brooklyn in 11-Inning Battle—Giants Pulled Out a Win.

With the Brooklyn Dodgers possessing a three run lead up to the eight inning, the Phillies came up from behind and pulled out a victory in yesterday's game, winning by the final score of eight to five, after tieing the game in the ninth and necessitating three more innings of play. Tom Seaton started in to wallop the Dodgers, but was soon replaced by Rixey, neither of whom showed up to any advantage. Three pitchers were used on each side.

The News York Giants, regained possession of third place by winning yesterday's contest from the Boston Braves, seven to two. Rube Marquard pitched the game and issued only a half dozen safeties, all well scattered. Lord's double in the third frame brought in the two runs.

Tom Seaton Loses Oout.

Brooklyn, May 26.—A three run lead was not enough for Brooklyn to beat Philadelphia today, the league leaders coming from behind in the eighth with the tieing runs and winning out in the eleventh by an 8 to 5 score. In the elexenth three hits and as many errors gave Philadelphia the four runs which sewed up the game.

Philadelphia	000	100	030	04—	8	14	2
Brooklyn	.300	010	000	01—	5	9	6

Seaton, Rixey, Alexander and Killifen; Stack, Allen, Yingling and O. Miller, Erwin. Time 2.30. Umpires Brennan and Eason.

Marquard Won.

Boston, May 26.—New York scored seven runs in the fourth inning today and defeated Boston 7 to 2. James was hit hard in that inning and was succeeded by Rudolph, who held the visitors to two singles. Lord's double in the third inning drove in the local's two runs.

Boston	....	002	000	000	—2	6	3
New York	....	000	700	000	—7	11	2

James, Rudolph and Whaling; Marquard and Meyers. Time 1.55. Umpires O'Day and Emslie.

COTTLE'S STORE ENTERED.

Pharmacy Robbed of Three Gallons Wood Alcohol—Negro Arrested.

After midnight Sunday night Cottle's drug store at Eight and Castle streets, was entered and three gallons of wood alcohol, 1,000 cigarettes, cigars and smoking tobacco and two fountain pens were taken. Mr. Cottle was notified about 3:30 A. M. and went to the store. The officers later came across George McKoy, colored, beastly drunk, and investigation revealed all the goods stolen under his house. It was at first thought that he had partaken of the wood alcohol and at headquarters they talked of getting a physician, but the negro appeared to be sobering up and it was concluded that he hadn't taken the poison, or else he would have died, as it usually is a fatal drink. Joe Ellerbee, another negro, who shares the house with McKoy, was arrested but discharged his employer stating that he was on his job all night.

RIVER AND HARBOR WORK.

Government Will Receive Proposals for Dredging Streams.

Announcement is made from the office of the U. S. Engineer at this place that the government will advertise for proposals for dredging during the coming season, at the localiaites named below. General information concerning the work may be had by addressing U. S. Engineers Office, Box 813, Wilmington, N. C. The approximate date of opening bids is August 1st. The item of most interest here is the work on the Cape Fear river at and below Wilmington, at the ocean bar and in river channels. The probable consideration of contract is $150,000. Other steams, etc., are: Scuppernong river, $2,500; Neuse river, $7,500; Inland Waterway from Pamlico Sound to Beaufort Inlet, $6,500; Beaufort harbor, $6,000; Morehead City harbor, $2,000; New river, $6,000; Shallotte river, $8,500.

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Condition December 31, 1912, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of Ledger Assets, December 31st of previous year; Total	$ 970,416.26
Income—From Policyholders, $1,012,811.55; Miscellaneous, $35,565.07; Total	1,028,376.62
Disbursements—To Policyholders, $490,889.26; Miscellaneous, $424,779.44; Total	915,668.70
Fire Risks—Written or renewed during year, $116,868,309; In force	106,089,581.00
Assets.	
Value of Bonds and Stocks	1,010,523.90
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	54,864.84
Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1912	37,735.38
Interest and Rents due and accrued	14,445.79
Total	$ 1,117,569.97
Less Assets not admitted	16,673.96
Total admitted Assets	$ 1,100,895.01
Liabilities.	
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	$ 80,088.03
Unearned Premiums	688,401.34
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued	150.00
Estimated Federal, State, county and municipal taxes	15,192.17
Total amount of all Liabilities except Capital	$ 792,831.54
Surplus over all Liabilities	308,064.47
Total Liabilities	$ 1,100,896.01

Business in North Carolina During 1912.

Fire Risks written, $1,142,779; Premiums received	$ 12,090.42
Losses incurred—Fire, $8,039.-70; Paid	9,036.39

President, Fister, Douglas & Folsom; Secretary, M. S. Manogus.
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Business Manager for North Carolina: Head Office.

State of North Carolina, Insurance Department, Raleigh, Feb. 22, 1913.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Union and Phenix Espanol Ins. Company, of Madrid, Spain, filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1912.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Chairman Travis to Greensboro—Two New Enterprises Chartered—Investigating Fire on Biltmore Estate.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 26.—Chairman Travis, of the Corporation Commission, has gone to Greensboro to attend a meeting of the sub-committee on taxation of the legislative commission on constitutional amendments in session there Tuesday, Hon. E. J. Justice, chairman.

Chairman Travis went in response to an invitation from Chairman Justice, of the committee on taxation for the members of the Corporation Commission as State tax commissioner, to attend and give the members of the committee the benefit of their views. Chairman Travis will present especially the idea of so amending the constitution that there will not be the requirement for uniform ad valorem taxation so that the State will have the right to apply different rates and different systems of taxation to different classes of property. This is said to be a change in which the legislative commission special committee is especially interested. It is one, too, that may play an important part in bringing about a settlement of the freight rate fight that is on with the railroads.

Dr. W. C. Horton, who was found in an unconscious condition in his office late Saturday night and continued without special change in his condition through Sunday, is reported improved today. However, he is still quite sick.

An audience that taxed the capacity of Pullen Hall gathered with the 54 graduates Sunday night to hear the baccalaureate sermon that marked the opening of the 24th annual commencement of the A. & M. College.

Deputy Commissioner of Insurance F. M. Jordan is spending a few days at Biltmore investigating the fire there last week that burned down one of the stables of the Vanderbilt estate and caused the death of a number of horses. This is the second burning of a barn on this site within two years. It is believed that the fires were both of incendiary origin.

A charter is issued for the Southport Residence Park (Inc.), of Southport, capital $25,000 authorized and $5,000 subscribed by Thomas E. Cooper, J. J. Loughlin and C. Ed Taylor, for real estate development. Another charter is for the E. B. Ficklen Tobacco Co., of Greenville, capital $50,000 by E. B. Ficklen and others, and the Christian Fellowship Society, of Beaufort, incorporated without capital stock with Stephen Ebom and others as incorporators.

The commencement season for St. Mary's school opened yesterday morning with a most able baccalaureate sermon by Rev. C. Ernest Smith, D. D., rector of St. Thomas Church Washington, D. C.

The baccalaureate and the missionary sermon for the Meredith College commencement was preached yesterday by Rev. Chas. Hastings Dodd, D. D. of Richmond in the First Baptist church.

The Raleigh commission today at the instance of Commissioner O. G. King, of the Public Safety department, removed J. P. Stell as chief of police and elected in his stead Chas. N. Walters, who served as deputy sheriff quite a while and later as city sanitary officer. Stell has made an exceptionally fine record as chief of police the past four years, but the bitter campaign over the public safety commissionership made such a breach between Commissioner King and supporters of Chief Stell as to cause this speedy change of chiefs.

Major H. A. London, of Pittsboro, and Nathan Cherry, of Goldsboro, having resigned as members of the State Board of Internal Improvements, Governor Craig has commissioned Alexander Webb, of Raleigh, and George Montcastle, of Lexington, in their stead.

The last Legislature greatly extended the duties of the board in the way of requiring of it examinations on all departments and institutions of the State that receive or handle State funds in any way.

INTRUDER ARRESTED.

Soldier, Possibly Under Influence of Whiskey, Taken in Custody.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., May 26.—Yesterday, Sunday, about 3 A. M., Mr. D. O. Daniel, cashier of the Bank of Southport, who lives on Bay street, was awakened by his wife, who said there was someone in the room. Mr. Daniel heard his bedroom door close and the noise of someone going downstairs, and jumping up, grabbed his pistol, firing it out of the window. The shot halted the intruder, who had gained the outside and stood waiting to see what might come next. Handing the pistol to his wife to keep watch over the man, Mr. Daniel went to the phone and called up Cecil Lewis, the city marshal.

The man seeing only a woman, made a start to leave, when Mrs. Daniel fired in his direction twice, which brought the man to a full stop and he remained until the marshal arrived and took him to jail. In his flight from the house he dropped his hat and coat. In a pocket of the coat was a quart bottle of whiskey.

Today before 'Squire Pinner, the soldier who gave his name as Shay, was given a hearing, and on a justified bond of $250, was bound over to the next term of court. At this time no bond has been given, and the prisoner is in jail.

GAVE BIRTHDAY DINNER.

Mr. L. M. White Entertains in Honor of His Mother—Schools.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Roseboro, N. C., May 26.—A bountiful birthday dinner was spread yesterday at the home of Mr. L. M. White in honor of his mother, Mrs. Susan Culbreth, who was 69 years old. The dinner was a surprise to her and was given by her children who brought baskets and invited relatives and friends. All the children were present except one who could not attend, being ticket agent at Chadbourn, N. C. Probably a hundred relatives and friends attended the dinner.

The Roseboro graded schools close this week with commencement exercises Thursday and Friday.

CANNOT SECURE CONVICTIONS.

Under Webb Act Judge States to Federal Grand Jury.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 26.—That no conviction can be secured under the provisions of the Webb Act was the statement of Judge E. T. Sanford, in his charge to the Federal grand jury today.

The Webb Act was delineated as an act that had no power to inflict a penalty, and therefore, it was explained no conviction could possibly be secured under its provisions.

Its worth was stated to be that it removed from inter-State shippers of liquor the protection of Federal legislation, and gave the States greater freedom in enforcing their respective State liquor laws.

TWO DEAD IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Ed. Morris and Mr. Will Arnheim Killed and Two Others of Tarboro Party Injured Returning From Wilson.

Wilson, N. C., May 26.—Mrs. Ed. Morris and Mr. Will Arnheim, members of prominent families at Tarboro, N. C., were almost instantly killed and two others, the wife of Mr. Arnheim, and the husband of Mrs. Morris, were severely injured, late Sunday evening when, returning to their homes from a trip to Wilson, N. C., an automobile in which they were driving plunged off an embankment into a canal on Farrow's farm, about six miles from Tarboro.

The car was being driven by Mr. Arnheim, the owner, and besides those named Mr. E. Matthews was also a passenger. They had enjoyed an uneventful trip, until reaching the point named, Mr. Arnheim stopped the car to take another route and was in the act of turning around when by mistake, instead of jamming his foot down on the service brake of the car, he mashed down on the accelerator, the car plunging forward and over the embankment into a canal 10 feet deep and 18 feet wide. The car turned completely over with the wheels in the the air, Mr. Arnheim being pinned under the steerink wheel. Mrs. Morris was killed outright and Mr. Arnheim died while being rushed to Tarboro for medical attention. Mr. Morris escaped with only a few bruises, but Mrs. Arnheim suffered a bad laceration of the face, all her front teeth were knocked out and her right arm was sprained. Mr. Metthews was bruised about the hip and was badly shaken up.

The acident was in the neighborhood of the residence of Mr. Ashby Wiggins and Mr. John Wiggins happened of the vicinity in his automobile. He heard the crash of the accident and rushed to the assistance of the party. After extricating the body of Mrs. Morris and getting Mr. Arnheim out and endevoring to restore him to consciousness without success, Mr. Wiggins hastened to Dr. Mercer's residence and 'phone messages to Tarboro brought nurses and other doctors.

The funreal of Mrs. Morris occurred in Goldsboro this afternoon and the funeral of Mr. Arnheim will be held in Richmond. The local order of Masons and the commercial bodies sent a special delegation with the remains of Mr. Arnheim to Richmond after funeral services over the victims at 11:30 o'clock this morning.

SOUTHPORT NEWS NOTES.

Aftermath of Reunion—Schooner With Flrt—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., May 26.—The annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans of Brunswick county, was held here Saturday.

The plan had been to celebrate in Franklin Square, under the grand old live oaks. But the change in weather made in-doors more agreeable, so the court house was taken, the court room being decorated for the meeting and speaking. Shortly after ten a. m. the veterans gathered, holding their meeting to elect officers and to hold what might be termed "a campfire," that is, to sit close together and as any brother might feel inspired, to hear the telling of tales of those days that tried men in soul, as well as in their physical nature.

It was after 12 o'clock, noon, when Joseph W. Little, Esq., of Wilmington, was introduced to the Veterans and assembled friends, as speaker of the day, and for three-quarters of an hour held his auditors with his eloquent address.

From the speaking to the banquet-hall of the Masonic Temple was an easy and pleasant transition, where a substantial dinner was spread by the ladies, to which the Veterans did full justice it not being noted that age had diminished their desire or capacity, to thoroughly enjoy the good things that Brunswick county women could cook, particularly when waited upon by some of those who had provided the good and plenteous cheer.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: I. W. Harrelson, commander; J. P. Cox, First Lieut. commander; N. B. Bennett, Second Lieut. commander; E. H. Cranmer, Secretary Treasurer; Jefferson Sellers, chaplain; Dr. D. I. Watson, Sergeon; E. Edwards, Standard Bearer and Sergt. Major. Central Committee C. Ed. Taylor, R. S. Newton and Richard Dosher.

The church interests of St. Philip's, of this city, are to be served and strengthened, by the coming in a few days, of the Rev. Thos. Noe, and Mrs. Noe, of Wilmington. Mrs. Noe will speak on Sunday School work, and her husband will also make an address.

About the middle of June, Mesdames Mary James and Lila Morrison Adams, of Wilmington, will make a visit here, making addresses to the ladies of the church. This church aid comes through the direction of the Women's Auxiliary Guilds of the Diocese of Eastern North Carolina.

Miss Kate Griswold, late of the News, and her friend Miss Robbins, have gone to Hartford, Conn.

The many friends of Dr. H. L. Keith, are glad to see his continued improvement, the Doctor now being able to be out, though not of course thinking of being at his office for business for a few weeks.

Mrs. D. O. Daniel and children, have returned after a several weeks visit at Mullins, S. C. Mrs. Daniel's old home.

Three rainfalls here during the past week, none at all heavy, that of Friday night being the most beneficial. Reports from all sections of Brunswick county, by farmers and visitors coming here, say on the whole crops are in fine condition and making good progress.

Friday, pilings arrived for the W. B. and S. pier and these are now being driven. The docking work has continued.

The schooner Ida L. Miller, of Fernandina, Fla., put into this harbor, on Friday, with 6,500 blue-fish caught off Cape Romain. These fish weighed from 3 to 8 pounds, the catch amounting to about 20,000 pounds. There was no market for this quantity of fish here or Wilmington, the boat people wanting to sell the entire lot, and not caring to open up for small sales. The Miller was provided with a refrigerator, and taking on ice, and gasoline, left here Saturday presumably for New Nork.

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(Dispatch copy.)

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:20 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:15 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

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IN EFFECT MAY 1st, 1913.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
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Tuesday, May 27, 1913.

Make the deal ideal and realize on the idealistic.

Maid in May and made much of in June when a maid is made a bride.

It is pathetic to see baseball fans trying to be enthusiastic in a ball-less town.

If you are up against it, don't fall down. Climb up and go right on over it.

A great many people get there by making noise and without making any tracks. The wind also does precisely the same.

If your town has advantages make something of them yourself. The other fellow may not be able to come for many years.

We are for just freight rates and just freight weights. Just means a square deal for all sides or else nothing would be just.

The world's biggest ships run between America and Europe because this country furnishes them with business coming and going.

The Atlanta Journal says: "Where are the people who kicked on the dry spell?" Kicking on as usual because everything spells "dry."

Those who are still standing at Armageddon must be the guys who are holding mamma's baby till she comes back from around the corner.

Atlanta has a "spotless town" movement on hand. Some undesirable people are being sent away, but those who made them bad are permitted to stay and make another crowd bad.

The theory about municipally owned utilities always looks good but when municipal officials operate the utilities for the benefit of their political fortunes, the practice doesn't vindicate the theory.

Presidents should be content with two terms. A President always needs a second term so he can get a chance to vindicate his first term. When he wants a third term he is entirely too complimentary to himself.

Good roads have worked wonders in New Hanover. For every dollar spent there has been an increase of land and property values two, three and sometimes four-fold. It is poor economy to arrest this development.

Inasmuch as the City Council has to foot the bill for four-fifths of the cost, it should at least be pardoned for wanting to have some little say as to how the money for the New Hanover consolidated Board of Health should be spent.

The Asheville Citizen remarks: "One great drawback to the enormous size of the United States is that half the country doesn't know how the other half lives." It is even more remarkable that it is impossible to find out, in spite of the fact that most everybody is trying to poke their nose into somebody's business.

If the Republicans and Progressives unite, guess who will be glad to finance the movement? Same old crowd who did it before the split occurred in the Republican party. The Protectionists and special interests know that the Republican party will absorb more of the Progressive element's standpattery than it will of anything else it has to offer for the interests.

A New York financial journal inquires: "Will Bryan meddle with our currency?" Not like to do it, but he may as well meddle with "our currency" as for any bunch of us to meddle with the country's currency. The people's idea about Col. Bryan's meddling with the currency is that he can't do a thing to it compared with what has been done by the group who have been meddling with it for time immemorial.

A writer says the art of printing caused the art of tale-telling to decline. "Professionals used to spin fanciful webs", we are told, "and had the gift of holding people spell-bound." Our observation is that professionals are still doing business the same as of old, but the fairy tales they tell shock people instead of causing them to be spellbound. Nobody need do any worrying about the decadence of tale telling. Plenty of them can make a mountain out of a mole hill and also add landscape scenery equal to that around Asheville.

THE POTENTIAL SOUTHPORT.

Every time we go down through the Cape Fear ocean gateway, its possibilities become more impressive and the commercial adaptabilities and advantages of the port of Wilmington-Southport loom larger as we contemplate a land-looked harbor that is twenty-eight miles in length. We looked it over once more on Sunday last when we took a trip with Captain John W. Harper on the recently overhauled steamer Wilmington. Having appeared in her Summer garb of paint, and been neatly overhauled for the season, Captain Harper took her on a trip to Carolina Beach, Southport and out to sea. It was an ideal day and quite a number of passengers took the trip for a days outing.

It was Southport for us, and we must confess that we never saw the future city to such great advantage. With Editor Haman, of the Southport News, we were the guest of Mrs. Euna Clum Atwood, who recently retired from the editorial and business management of the News. The host's bountiful hospitality was dispensed at her cozy cottage, and afer an appetizing luncheon the party drove four miles into the country. Part of the trip was down the Lockwood Folly road and the return was partly over the highway from Southport to Wilmington.

In that four mile drive we saw something of the trucking and agricultural possibilities around Southport, and from observation and glimpses of some splendid lands and excellent crops, we are prepared to say that the productive resources around Southport are only second to the magnificent commercial possibilities that are upon the eve of being developed there. We have no studied purpose in emphasizing the value of the lands we saw, but we confess to astonishment at their wonderful adaptability for fruit, truck growing, and all branches of agriculture. While the lands reach to the very edge of the sounds and overlook the sweeping Atlantic with its white caps in the distance, we were surprised to note that practically everywhere a clay subsoil lies beneath rich alluvial soils that make ideal conditions for farming after proper drainage and preparation.

There are areas of fine savannah lands and pocosins, and back of the prettiest spot we ever saw for a future city are rural resources for feeding a populous city and sustaining thousands of thrifty and enterprising tillers of the soil. We started to say that these lands were every bit as ideal for growing truck and fruits as any lands in tidal Carolina, but owing to their closeness to the ocean and their physicial approach to those of a real sub-tropical region, we rather think the advantage is with the area where the Cape Fear pours its immense volume of waters into the broad Atlantic.

Development of agriculture in lower Brunswick is the one thing needed, but that is as sure to come as there is bound to be a realization of the commerical potentialities of the magnificent harbor at Southport. Mrs. Atwood and Miss Kate E. Griswold her whilom associate in the publication of the Southport News, each own valuable farms two miles out from Southport, while they and their associates have an area of 2,000 acres of forest and cut-over lands stretching along and intersected by the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southport Railroad. That road already is proving a powerful factor in developing Brunswick county and is very soon to be the moving force that will cause Southport to enter upon a commercial career with posibilities limited only by failure to see opportunities and command the necessary capital to realize upon them.

A drive around and through Southport is a revelation. There never was a more beautiful location for a city. A level plateau overlooks the ocean and river, and there is area enough for a New York or a Chicago. The water front is as extensive as it is picturesque and impressive as to its capabilities for maratime business. Just now it is a waste of apparently limitless potentiality, but mark the prediction, this is the eve of big things on the Cape Fear ocean gateway.

Besides the merely incidental opportunities that accompany the specifically potential factors for making the port of Southport, there is the ocean and river for commerce. As sure as the ocean rolls and the tides ebb and flow at this gateway for the world's commerce, just so sure is Southport to be made a coaling station and a port of call. The next potential factor is water and rail transportation for making Southport an ideal industrial city. The resources that lie in the sounds and ocean, point to a fish and oyster business that ought to be the greatest on the South Atlantic. Then comes the climate and soil that offer fine opportunities for trucking, fruit growing, farming and dairying. Goodness knows that is enough, but there is that marvelous and supreme adaptability for making Southport a Summer and Winter resort. Any one of the factors we name ought to make Southport a great city and certainly all will do so when there is an invasion of enterprise and capital.

Men who've got the foresight are bound to see it as we have seen it. The promoters of the Wilmington, Brunswick and Southport Railway have got a glimpse of the destiny of the Cape Fear ocean gateway. They have just completed a pretty passenger station and are constructing docks and coal piers, the early completion of which means that Southport will soon be on the map as an ocean shipping point. One of the most inspiring things about the harbor are natural anchorge grounds six miles long, from a half to a mile and a half wide and covered with water 30 to 60 feet deep.

It means everything for North Carolina, for Wilmington and for Southport that there exists in the Cape Fear ocean gateway the geographical and physical means of making this the greatest distributing ocean depot that can be developed in a way to cover more of the available South than can be reached from any other point on the South Atlantic. Get the map, draw your lines across the Southern country, describe your circles, and stick a pin at Wilmington and Southport, the centre of more potentialiaics than can be found at any other ocean outlet on the continent.

THE BOND ISSUES.

The people of New Nanover county will vote today upon the question of the issuance of bonds for public school improvements and for continuance of the permanent road improvement of New Hanover. Both the Board of Education and the Board of County Commissioners have made it plain to the people of the county that it is "entirely up to them;" that they are making no active campaign for the carrying of either issue.

This is proper and the people should accept the responsibility by providing each of these boards with the money with which to carry forward both of these eminently desirable improvements. It appears to us that to defeat either issue would be a backward step. The schools have long been overcrowded and very poorly housed—in fact, dangerously housed—so that the question that presents itself to the voters today will be the acceptance of responsibilility for the lives of some two thousand children now housed in the wooden buildings of Union and Hemenway, to say nothing of deciding themselves the question of abridging the work of the schools as it is now carried on so effectively and well. These are questions of vital concern and the responsibility should be met be every voter in a thoroubhly patriotic and unselfish manner.

That improved roads have been a Godsend to New Hanover; that values in the county have doubled, trebled and quadrupled cannot be doubted. It is equally true that just now a greater amount of work on the public highways is being done at a smalled cost than ever before. Shall this work continue or cease? The question is squarely up to the voters, an indicated in a plain, open, frank statement of the Permanent Road Committee of the Board of County Commissioners published Sunday morning. To fail to vote these bonds, in our opinion, would be the poorest sort of public economy and a display of the most unwise business judgment.

DO WE REALIZE?

Do we realize that one of the problems of this country is its meat supply? Do we realize that our meat supply has grown so short that we are now importing beef, mutton, pork, and butter from Australia and South American?

Do we realize that it is the South's opportunity to shut out Australia and South America by supplying the American demand for beef, mutton, pork, butter, poultry, etc? Do we know that the South is the most ideal cattle country in the world if we will eradicate the cattle tick? What is the matter with the South's mild climate for taking care of cattle, for all-Winter grazing, and with the South's having the cotton seed oil mills that supply the richest cattle feed produced any where in the world?

There are only two things that prevent the South from becoming the world's greatest cattle raising country. Those two things are "us" and the cattle tick. We can get rid of the cattle tick with the aid of the government, but what is the matter with us?

If Florida can ship cattle why cannot North Carolina do it to greater advantage? The Jacksonville Times-Union a few days ago noted that more than 1,000 head of "common scrub cows" were shipped from Florida to Kansas for breeding purposes. That esteemed and progressive contemporary observes that this "shows the straits to which the people are put to obtain sufficient beef." It surely does.

Rather we should say that Dr. C. F. Dawson, Veterinarian of the Florida State Board of Health, says that in the Times-Union. He usges eradication of the tick and scrub cattle. The Doctor says: "When Florida eradicates her ticks she will also eradicate the scrub cow, because it will be possible then to raise good cattle."

Verily, it costs no more to raise good animals than common ones, when the time comes to balance accounts. It costs just as much to feed a scrub cow as it does to feed a Jersey.

CAPE FEAR LIGHTSHIP.

Another determined effort is being made by the Light House Board at Washington to deprive the port of Wilmington and the Cape Fear commerce of the Knuckle Shoal Lightship, which was, through the efforts of our Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, especially built for the station at Knuckle Shoal by Act of Congress, secured by Senator Overman. The Light House Board, after arbitrarily removing the old lightship which had served us for more than half a century at or near "The Knuckle", refused our Representative any relief, and then our local board, through its chairman, Mr. James Sprunt, pressed the matter by personal visits to Washington, and with the generous support of Senator Overman succeeded in getting a new lightship built on a special appropriation by Congress of $115,000.

It proved to be the finest lightship in the service, but the Washington Board, without even so much as a "by your leave," proceeded to send it elsewhere contrary to the Act of Congress which prohibited its removal. Senator Overman is standing in the breach and tells us that he will go to the President before he gives up the ship. Strong protests have been sent from Wilmington against its removal. Secretary Redfield is apparently sustaining the Washington Board against us.

If the object of the Department is to build up the commerce of the country, it would seem that the Secretary and the maritime powers that be would take no such step as would be detrimental to the Nation's fourth cotton exporting point.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The arrival of one thousand tons of Irish whiskey in New York is not going to do the thirst in North Carolina any good.—Halifax Gazette.

North Carolina is drawing stars for its commencement orators. Tomorrow night A. and M. has Assistant Secretary of the Navy Franklin D. Roosvelt, next comes Trinity with Commander Peary, of North Pole fame, and the University of North Carolina will have Vice-President Marshall.—Raleigh News and Observer.

In an interview in Washington, Mr. Frank McNinch of Charlotte passed the word that, the championship of the freight rate question is to be used as a leverage by the friends of Mr. Justice or Mr. Craig in an effort for Overman's seat. It was hardly fair to let the cat out of the bag at such an early stage in the game. We have no doubt the scheme as unfolded by Mr. McNinch is all news to Governor Craig—we could almost state it as a fact—and to that extent, polics will cut no figure in the matter. It would be unfortunate for the efforts of the Just Freight Rate Association should the impression gain currency that politics is behind this movement. It would throw a damper on public sentiment so much needed in the fight and which has been so encouragingly in evidence. It is a pity a great movement for State betterment cannot be undertaken without the deadly capitalization of the small politicians. —Charlotte Observer.

SCHOOL AND ROAD BONDS MEAN PROGRESS.

Editor Morning Star:—We can make New Hanover county the garden spot of the world, and also build for Greater Wilmington by voting for both road and school bonds at today's election. It has been my privilege for the past two weeks to talk personallf with a large number of voters of New Hanover county and the city of Wilmington, and it has been a great pleasure to hear so many intelligent business men, and also those who are the largest taxpayers, declare themselves in favor of the issue of both the road and school bonds.

I have found the opponents of the road bonds scarce, but I trust that everyone of these will read the article written by Mr. H. A. Rau, who is one of the most intelligent and successful truckers in New Hanover county. His article was published in Saturday morning's Star. I would suggest that these men look up their paper and read it again.

Some men object to the road bonds and say that they will increase taxes. I understand that the increase, provided the entire amount of bonds were issued at once, would be less than .04 cents per $100. If the bond issue fails to carry, or succeeds, the fact remains that between 200 and 300 convicts must be fed and clothed. When the bonds will mean such a small increase in taxes, don't you think it would be well to use this labor in a way that will be a great benefit to the taxpayers?

When the last road bond issue was voted on I was approached by members of the old board of county commissioners and requested to vote for them. I replied that I had a good road. The reply was, yes, but why not give the other fellow the same blessing? That issue carried, and I am proud to be able to say that the Board of County Commissioners at that time gave a good account of themselves and as a result we have some fine new roads. But we have not reached the best yet, and the new board should not be handicapped, but should be furnished with the means to continue the work so well begun by the old board, and from the calibre of the new board we can rest assured that it will be well done.

The result of good new roads through some of our best farming section would mean an increased valuation and would give sufficient income to retire the bonds in 30 years. This is small compared with the other benefits that would accrue to the county and city. The life of a city depends largely on a prosperous surrounding farming country. If New Hanover county were to build a network of good hard roads connecting the Castle Haynes road with the Scott's Hill turnpike, and the Masonboro and Federal Point roads, the city of Wilmington would have a back country to draw from equal to the best. We have some of the best undeveloped farm land in New Hanover county in the world, but it will be almost impossible to get an intelligent farmer to buy this land, and develop it without good roads.

If the county is to be developed and put where it belongs, the voters must show their faith in their county by offering prospective settlers a way to get to the market with their produce. Good roads will also solve the question as to the best method of keeping the intelligent farmer boys on the farm. This point was brought out in Mr. Rau's letter. It was my privilege to be raised in a good roads section of Maryland, and I will defy anyone to find a class of young people who got more solid pleasure out of life than did the children of the farmers of that section. What intelligent young farmer would have the gall to ask a bright, well educated young woman to marry him and move 10 or 12 miles from one of our good roads, when the only way to visit a neighbor would be to drive in a walk two or three miles through sand 12 inches deep? You must give an intelligent farmer and his family some social advantages and a way to reach his school and church.

If the business men of Wilmington were alive to their interests, they would all close up business next Monday and Tuesday, take off their coats and work for the passage of both the road and school bonds. Fifteen years from now and less, that section of the county reached by the Castle Haynes, Scott's Hill, Masonboro and Federal Point roads will be dotted with prosperous farms. If you travel through a good roads farming section you will see fine stock, fine painted houses, all well furnished, large and well filled schools and churches, well dressed ladies and children. You will find good horses and buggies for the young men and automobiles galore. All this will help the business men of the city.

On the contrary, go through a farming section with poor roads and you will find the sons and daughters leaving home as soon as possible, and a lot of discouraged farmers and hopeless wives. Good roads will breed prosperity and build up New Hanover county and the city of Wilmington to where she belongs. Vote against these school and road bonds, and 50 years from now you will still be saying what you are going to be.

I have lived in some very prosperous sections of the country, but have never seen a place that has the possibilities that are found in Wilmington and New Hanover county, and will advise every native born Wilmingtonian, and every carpet-bagger to stop blocking and knocking, stop going to be, and be an ISER.

Vote for both school and road bonds, pay your little increased tax like men and hustle to make Wilmington and New Hanover county what they should be.

Yours truly,
G. T. EMMART,
East Wilmington, May 24, 1913.

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THE RECORDER'S COURT

E. H. Southerland Found Guilty on Charge of Gambling and Fined $50 and Costs—Minor Cases Tried.

The case of chief interest in yesterday's session of the Recorder's court was that against E. H., or "Dollie" Southerland, who was indicted on a charge of gambling, on a warrant sworn out by Officer Joe Lane, based on information and belief secured through a statement made by Mr. J. B. King, a well known traveling salesman with headquarters in this city.

The Recorder found the defendant guilty and fined him $50 and the costs. On request of Woodus Kellum, Esq., Southerland's attorney, the case was left open, bond of $100 being continued.

Southerland was convicted on the testimony of King, who stated that he sat in a game of poker with Southerland and Joe Greenberg the night of May 17th, and that he lost money. It was reported before the trial that he lost $93, but he did not state how much yesterday. No testimony was developed by the defense to combat this statement, and the defendant did not take the stand. Two witnesses appeared for him, but their testimony did not help him; rather, in one point, it corroborated King's, as to his being at the place. These witnesses were Fred Southerland, brother of the defendant, and Joe Williams, stage manager at the opera house.

They testified that King was in room 1, No. 109 1-2, Chesnut street, on the night of the 17th, that he was "pretty full", and that he asked for "Dollie", who was not in, but who came in before he left. He wanted a drink, and got it; and they heard him tell "Dollie", that he had been drunk a week in Norfolk, "had played hell" and "had lost between $150 and $200". He went out and almost immediately came back, and asked for another drink and some was given him in a bottle. Then he left and when the witnesses left at 11 o'clock, he had not returned. No game was played, they had never seen a game played in 111 Chesnut, or in any other room there; never had seen any chips or other gambling acessories; and neither ever played or gambled.

Fred Southerland testified that he and his brother owned the People's Collecting Agency at 109 1-2 Chesnut street, but when questioned as to the nature of the business, he declined to answer, on his constitutional rights. Williams testified that he was only a caller at the place, Fred Southerland being his friend.

Fred Sanders, colored, was tried on a charge of disorderly conduct and reckless driving of automobile. He flatly denied the direct allegations as to the offenses, as made by Plainclothesman Leon George and Lee Jackson, a white boy, but the court fined him $5 and costs in one case and assessed the costs in the other.

Virgina Bates was fined $10 and costs for using a knife on her old man, Ed Bates, Saturday night. He was cut pretty bad around the face and wore many bandages, having been taken to the hospital after the fight. Both were very contrite and sorry about the trouble. Virginia said she didn't mean to cut her man, who was good to her; he came in at a late hour and threw her down, and she cut him; he was sorry and asked the court to be light on her, as she was a good wife to him.

The usual number of Sunday water wagon accidents were docketed, punishment taking its usual range according to the degree of the offense.

George Freisson, colored, wanted for many moons on a charge of running a gambling house, suddenly appeared at his old abode Saturday night and raised merry caln with his wife and others. Hearing the officers coming, he went through a window, only to land in the arms of the law. He made his escape this way the other time. This morning he will be tried, as will Charles Evans, larceny of a wheel belonging to W. H. Green. He gave bond in the sum of $50.

L. Claiyton Grant, Esq., attorney for Neil Hayes, asked the court to make a new order in regard to the time when Hayes must leave the county according to the judgment rendered in the cases against the Hayes brothers last week, because his client had a suit for divorce in Superior Court and it was on the docket for Saturday. The Recorder had given him until Wednesday to leave the county. A new order was made, therefore, extending the time until Monday, after which Hayes must not be found here.

HAD RELATIVES IN CITY.

Young Whitehead, Killed Saturday, Was a Craven County Boy.

Ivan Whitehead, whose tragic death at dredge No. 9 was noted in The Star of Sunday, was a son of Mr. A. P. Whitehead, of Bachelor, Craven county, and had two sisters in the city, Mrs. H. O. Thomas, of No. 813 South Seventh street, and Mrs. E. S. Hancock, Castle Haynes road, neither of whom knew of the accident until they saw it in The Star next morning. The boy left no address with the dredge crew. The body was recovered Sunday at 11 A. M. and Dr. Joseph Akerman, the coroner, summoned a jury and took testimony that afternoon and yesterday morning, the jury being composed of Messrs. J. M. Branch, H. Mack Godwin, J. O. Pool, W. A. McGowan, Sam Seigler and B. B. Jackson. The finding was that he came to his death by being struck by the windlass of a winch which was made to whirl rapidly in reverse motion by its cable being caught by the steamer Cherokee. His skull was crushed. The body was embalmed at the Yopp undertaking establishment, on Princess street, and sent to Craven county yesterday morning, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hancock and Mr. Thomas.

The young man had been here ten days. He was a student in Piedmont High School, Cleveland county, and had taken the dredge boat job to make money enough to carry him through the next year at school. He was only 21 years old. Among his surviving relatives is Mrs. W. O. Biggs, a sister, wife of the Baptist minister at Elm City.

Deeds Filed for Record.

Deeds filed for record yesterday were: Marsden Bellamy, Esq., and wife to C. D. Weeks, Esq., and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of Seventh street, 205 feet north of Howard, 33x150 feet in size. Fidelity Trust & Development Co., to R. B. Williams, for $800 and other considerations, lot 8 block 8, Sunset Park. Sol. Sternberger and wife to G. D. Hargrove, for $100 and other considerations, property on west side 14th street, 220 1-2 feet north of Nunn, being lots 1, 2 and 3, block 498. P. P. Causey to H. M. Chase and M. F. H. Gouveneur, for $100 and other considerations, 66.7 acres adjacent to Cape Fear Country Club property, east of the city.

LOOKS FAVORABLE FOR BONDS

Indications Are That Schools and Roads Will Win in Election Today—Sentiment for Bonds Has Grown Rapidly.

New Hanover county citizens today will decide by their ballots whether the county shall issue $175,000 of bonds for schools and $100,000 of bonds for roads. The indications are that both propositions will win.

Cards issued to the school children last week and circulated by them among the parents and others of the city and county for the purpose of securing the pledges of voters to support the school bonds have been returned, properly signed up, to the number of over 700; others will be sent in today; and many who didn't pledge will vote for the bonds, so that it would appear from this alone that the school bonds are safe, as the registration for the election is approximately 1,600.

It is expected that the vote for the road bonds will run about the same. Growth in sentiment for both school and road bonds has been very rapid of late, although nothing like a campaign has been waged by the advocates of the bonds. In fact, it has been so quiet all along that a stranger might have judged there was little interest in the matter. But the contrary is true.

Both the Board of Education and the Board of Commissioners have made plain statements of the situation to the people, and put it up to them. Being intelligent, progressive people, the statements have sufficed. Sentiment for the issues has developed as understanding of the needs of the county spread.

One powerful factor in moulding sentiment for the school bonds has been the question of safety. It is well known that hundreds of children are crowded into wooden buildings which are heated by oil and wood stoves and furnaces, and while Wilmington never has had a school house fire, it is argued that this is no sign it never will. There are thousands of school houses all over the United States, says an expert, that were "built to burn." The Board of Education determined to place the responsibility on the people, and the indications are that the people will decree that the wooden school house shall pass away with other relics of an age that is past.

In the matter of roads, it is expected that the citizenship, having had the advantage of good roads these years, will warmly support a movement to increase the mileage of modern highways in the county. The difference between sand beds and hard roadways is so great that there seems little doubt about the people voting for an extension of the good roads system. The Commisisoners have stated that every dollar of the bond money shall be spent on new roads; not a penny shall go toward the upkeep of old roads. The revenue for road purposes will be spent for that.

For the bonds to carry, a majority of the registered voters must cast their ballots for roads and for schools. The registration is around 1,600. Anything over half of that number will mean victory for the bonds. People opposed to the bonds do not have to vote. Their names count against the bonds just the same as if they actually voted. Hence it is the registration books that the advocates of the bonds must fight against. If there are 1,600 names on the books, it will take something over 800 votes in the boxes to carry the day.

The polls open at sunrise, or at 5:03 and close at sunset, or at 7:17.

Today a number of towns, townships and counties in the State hold bond and tax elections for progress. The result in New Hanover will be awaited with interest all over the State.

Rally at High School.

For practice in public speaking upon a definite issue, several High School students addresed the school at assembly yesterday morning. They spoke on the importance of voting the bonds today for schools and good roads. Those taking part were Thomas Strange, Miss Jeannette Buck, of the Senior class; John Allen Thames, of the Junior; Clarence Sternberger and Charles Hazelhurst, of the Sophomore, and Harriss Newman and Herbert King, of the Freshman class. The last named said in order to get schooling he was willing to ride eight miles a day and had two friends who had been riding from Castle Haynes all the Winter, a distance of nine miles each way. He estimated that they had ridden already 2,880 miles and declared that they were enabled to do it on account of good roads. This was a splendid argument in favor of both bond issues. The addresses of the students aroused great enthusiasm.

Speakings Last Night.

An open air rally was held last night at Fifth and Castle streets. It was well attended and much interest was shown in the remarks of the speakers. It is estimated that there were 300 people present. The speakers were Messrs. D. J. Fergus, Woodus Kellum, J. Allan Taylor, Rev. Thos P. Noe, Messrs. D. H. Homes, Jr., and B. F. King, Jr. Both bond issues were discussed and many facts were presented why the voters should cast their ballot in favor of better school facilities and a continuation of the permanent road work.

SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION.

Biggest Crowds Yet Handled Will be Carried to Beach Today.

The largest number of Sunday School people the Tidewater Power Company has yet handled in any of the free excursions this season will visit Wrightsville Beach today, the combined schools of the Brooklyn and Southside Baptist churches being the guests of the company. The total will be about 600. The cars will leave the junction at 3 P. M., and returning will leave the beach at 6:40. They will be operated in two trains of three cars each.

ENGLISH SAILOR DROWNED.

Member of Crew of Steamer Foxton Hall Leaps to Death.

Ed Card, a fireman on the English steamer Foxton Hall, lost his life in the Cape Fear river Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock while a number of the crew were bathing off the A. C. L. terminals where the steamer is discharging cargo of kainit. He leaped into the river from the deck and never reappeared. His mates dragged for his body Sunday and yesterday, using the apparatus from the Seminole, but without result. Card was 49 years old and lived in Liverpool.

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AGREEMENT WAS REACHED

Health Budget to be Shaved $2,420, if Recommendations of Council and Commissioners Are Carried Out.

At a joint conference yesterday morning the City Council and County Commissioners, with only one or two negative votes, reached an agreement with reference to the health department budget, afterwards adopted formally by each body in separate session, whereby $2,420 is to be taken from the original budget of $32,150, making the amount that is to be raised by the city and county on the basis of four-fifths and one-fifth, respectively, $29,730.

The City Council on Saturday agreed to a cut of $3,620, which would have brought the total down to $28,530, but as the County Commissioners would not agree to so great a reduction and also because it was deemed advisable to provide for a third physician in the health department, the Council yesterday consented to a change of $1,200 in the figures that had been settled upon by that body. The addition was granted on condition that a third physician is to be employed and that the two assistant physicians are to receive a salary of only $1,500 each and is further conditioned upon the County Board of Health fixing the salaries of the other officials and attaches of the department in accordance with the scale adopted by the Council Saturday morning, which places the salary of the superintendent at $2,400, instead of $3,000, as had been voted by the Board of Health. The County Commissioners take the position that they have nothing to do with saying to the Board of Health whetner the amount is to be taken off the salaries or off the budget as a whole, so they make nc recommendations to the health boarc in this respect.

The Board of Health will hold a meeting at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon to receive the budget as amended by the Council and Commissioners.

The settlement of the controversy over the budget seems now to be in sight, and the public will no doubt breathe a sigh of relief.

At the conference, Councilman Merritt submitted some figures relative to the health department last year, which he had compiled. His statement follows:

"Officers last year, $9,020; medicines $200; disinfectants, $350; contagious diseases, $50; uniforms, $300; incidentals, $500; total actually paid out for the health department, $10,420.

"Garbage and scavenging—Garbage, labor $2,700; scavenging $9,000; after deducting collections, making a total of $11,700.

"Assets against the above, estimated as follows: Cans, $700; 13 horses and mules $1,500; 16 wagons, carts and harness, $500; office furniture and supplies, $500; a total of $3,200. Deducting this from $11,700, you will have $8,500. Add to this the expense of health department which was $10,420 you will have $1,920. To this add $6,000 for the James Walker Memorial Hospital and $1,500 for tuberculosis hospital makes a total of $24,420, the amount spent. Our entire appropriation for the year including loss on scavenging business, $27,000.

"It is proposed for this year to have streets carts collect garbage, which is to be drained of its moisture and delivered to the incinerator. This cost last year $2,700, and the Board of Health has allowed only $652 for this work this year, making a saving to them of $2,000 in round numbers, which will fall exclusively on the city. The city spent last year for medicines disinfectants and other supplies $1,400. The county spent $2,821, making a total of $4,221. The amount allowed these supplies in this year's budget is $3,100. That is it will require $1,121 less for medicines, disinfectants, etc., than last year, according to the Board of Health's budget.

"But the budget for salaries is $16,440, or $4,791 more than the amount the city and county spent on this item last year. Now, does it not appear that the physical part of the budget has been shaved down in order to boost the salaries and keep the total as low as possible? Then if required later (after the salaries have been fixed for the year) the Council can be asked to make further appropriations for supplies. As it will be absolutely impossible for the Board of Health to get by on their total of $31,790, if they are to spend $16,440 for salaries the consolidated Board of Health will be much more expensive for the city and county than when ran separately and I cannot see where the efficiency will be increased.

"If we cannot stop ourselves we had better ask for an Audit and Finance Board to hold us down."

Action of Council.

Following the joint meeting the Council held a meeting at which the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Be it ordained by the City Council, that the ordinance passed on the 24th of May, adopting the budget, being Appropriation No. 37, for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1914, be amended by increasing the item for the health department from $22,824 to $23,784, being to the extent of $960, thus providing for the employment of a third physician by the Board of Health, with the recommendation, however, that the two assirtant physicians allowed under the budget be paid a salary of $1,500 each."

The $960 is the city's portion of the $1,200 allowed by the joint meeting over the budget as adopted by the Council last week.

Commissioners Concur.

Immediately after the joint session, Chairman Willard called the Commissioners together and the budget was at once taken up. Commissioner Moore offered a resolution accepting the budget, as originally approved by the Commissioners, less $2,400, in "accordance with the agreement of the joint meeting," but "without any strings to it." Commissioner Yopp objected to the wording, saying that there was no use to say anything more than that the budget be approved, less $2,400, leaving the Board of Health to settle the matter, for he said he didn't think that board would pay any attention to suggestions or recommendations or any conditions that might be attached. Commissioner McGirt announced his opposition to the resolution. Commissioner Moore said he didn't make the motion because he approved of the reduction. Chairman Willard noted that he didn't think any of the board approved it.

The board had the idea that the Board of Health would do as it saw fit anyway, and Commissioner Moore said that that if it found it couldn't get along with the reduction, it could take such action as lay in its power. Commissioner McGirt said it was plain that the board needn't go to the city for any more money, that Councilmen had showed they weren's going to agree to spend more money than the budget adopted, less the $2,400. He said he didn't like the spirit shown, that the whole thing was aimed at Dr. Nesbitt. The reduction was too great, he feared it would cripple the health work as planned by the Board of Health, which was composed of some of the most intelligent men in the community. When the vote was called on the resolution, Mr. McGirt voted nay, and Commissioners Moore and Yopp voted aye, Commissioner Kerr not voting.

WILL INCREASE ASSESSMENT

Councilman Loughlin Calls Commissioners' Attention to Law Requiring New Assessment on Improved Streets.

At the brief special session of the County Commissioners yesterday morning, Councilman Chas. C. Loughlin appeared before the board and asked leave to call the attention of the body to section 14 of the act of 1907, allowing the city to issue bonds for street improvements, in which provision is made for a re-assessment of all property abutting on streets that have been improved.

The Commissioners were very much interested in the provision, which has been overlooked, apparently, and appointed the permanent road committee to confer with the county and city attorneys in regard to the subject, they to report at a meeting to be called by the chairman of the board.

The provision of the law was made in order to place a portion of the burden of improvement on property that would receive a direct benefit from the improvement of the streets. It was aimed to take place of the usual requirement of municipal laws that property owners pay outright a part of the cost of improvement on streets on which their property abuts.

The section named requires that the assessors, before the first day of June each year, shall view and examine all estate abutting on streets on which improvements have been made prior to January 1st of such year, and if in their oponion the value of such real estate has been enhanced, they shall increase the assessment thereof to an amount equal to the increase in value. From such assessment, every property owner has the usual right of appeal.

Inasmuch as the street improvements were practically all made during 1912, this is the first time that the law could be operative, and as June 1st is near at hand, it will take rapid work on the part of the proper city and county officials to convass the situation and fix their assessments.

The new assessment will provide additional revenue for city and county, though it is not through that the taxes arising from this sausce will be oppressive. The matter will be brought before Council in the morning by Mr. Loughlin, who had intended to call it up yesterday, but overlooked it.

CIVIL TERM OF COURT.

Convened Yesterday Morning With Judge Justice Presiding.

The regular two weeks term of New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of the civil cases convened yesterday morning with Judge M. H. Justice, of Rutherfordton, presiding. The case of most importance taken up yesterday was that of Daniel Page, colored, against Alex. Sprunt & San, an action for $5,000 alleged damage for personal injuries received about 18 months ago while working in the hold of steamer being loaded with cotton at the compress owned by the defendant company. Page was a stevedore and alleges that he was struck by a bale of cotton and his leg broken. The plaintiff rested with the examination of the plaintiff himself. A motion of counsel for the defendans for nonsuit was allowed and the action was dismissed. Notice of appeal to Superme Court was given. Judge Justice held that the plaintiff in this case was not injured through the negligence of the master of the boat.

Ricaud & Jones and ex-Judge Bryan represent the plaintiff, while Rountree & Carr appear for the defendant company.

The case of Henrietta ?Harrell against W. A. Harrell, at al., was rereferred to Col. Walker Taylor to hear and determine all matters. "Decision to be final and award to be filed at next term of court and award to be the rule of this court," reads the record. It is a claim and delivery proceedings brought by Mrs. Harrell against her sons for the recovery of the stock in a small store in the southern part of the city that she claims was owned and conducted by her husband, who died two or three years ago. It seemed that she had been separated from her husband 13 or 14 years. The boys claim that the store belonged to them and not to their father. Mrs. ?Harell ?returned here ?and brough claim and delivery proceedings and the case has been in court ever since.

The following cases were continued; B. F. Penny against the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.; Leger Meyer against S. L. Smith; et al.; Jas. W. McMahon against the Beaufort Little Neck Clam Co.; A. D. Hewlett aginst City of Wilmington. In the case of Lee O. Justice against the Tidewater Power Co., time to file pleadings.

Late in the afternoon a divorce action brought by Neil M. Hayes against his wife, Rosa D. Hayes, was heard. The plaintiff sought a decree on statutory grounds. Mr. Hayes testified that he and his wife were married four years ago and that they had not lived together in several months. One witness testified that he saw Mrs. Hayes on two different occasions in a house of rather questionable character in Fayetteville. He did not know anything more against her. Judge Justice did not let the case go to the jury, saying that he could not allow a divorce to be granted on the reputation of a house unsupported by evidence of misconduct on the part of the defendant. A mistrial was therefore directed by the court. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff.

POLICE EXAMS. LAST NIGHT.

Candidates for the Force Take Civil Service Test at City Hall.

There were six candidates last night standing the civil service examination for positions on the police force, in the office of the clerk and treasurer at City Hall. They were Constable John H. Davis, J. F. Jordan, W. R. Appleberry, A. T. Piver, O. V. Thompson and J. H. Gooden It was learned that Constable Davis, who served three years on the force before he was elected constable, had not fully decided whether he would resign his office in case he secured a place on the force, but that by noon today he would know. If he goes on the force there will be a vacancy for somebody to fill as constable of Wilmington township.

The Bladen Street Meeting.

The revival at Bladen Street Methodist church arouses more interest with each succeeding service. Last night a decided degree of interest was manifested after Rev. J. J. Boone's very searching sermon. The church is taxed to its capacity each time. The meeting will continue until Friday night, as far as known now.

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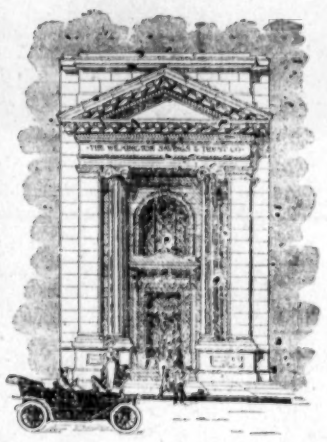

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MR. LEON'S BOOK PRAISED.

Diary of Confederate Soldier Being Published at Charlotte.

The Charlotte Chronicle of Saturday, and The Observer of Sunday, carry a lengthy and very favorable criticism of Mr. L. Leon's book of reminiscences of the Civil War, which is being issued from the presses of the Stone Publishing Co., of Charlotte. Mr. Leon, whose home is now in Wilmington, formerly lived in Charlotte, and was commander of the Mecklenburg Camp of Veterans, and his old friends there, as well as his comrades in arms and acquaintances in this city are taking great interest in the volume, which is to be entitled, "The Diary of a Tar Heel Confederate Soldier." It is declared to be a real contribution to the history of the Civil War, and besides much that is of great local interest, it sets forth in comprehensive way the movements of whole armies in a number of noted battles in which the author participated. Orders have already been placed for the first copies available and it is thought by the publishers that the book will be in great demand. The book will be on sale in Wilmington very shortly, it will be a pleasure to Mr. Leon's many friends to know.

—Deputy Sheriff Reynolds and Private Detective H. Mack Godwin left on the 6:45 train last evening for Raleigh with Carl Nelms, to place him in the central asylum for the insane, from which he escaped May 8th. He came back to the city Saturday morning and was promptly taken in custody.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. J. J. Fowler left yesterday for Sumter, S. C., to visit relatives.

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Mrs. L. J. Birthright is visiting friends in Lumberton for a few days.

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After a visit to her friend, Miss Laura Hall, of Raleigh, Miss Carrie Hashagen, has returned home.

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Miss Bettie Smith, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Rembert, No. 313 North Second street.

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Sunday's Asheville Citizen: "Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Waddell have gone to Wrightsville Beach for a short stay."

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Mr. Pembroke Jones, Jr., has returned to New York City after spending several weeks at his father's home on Wrightsville Sound.

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Col. Wade H. Harris, editor of the Charlotte Observer, spent Sunday in the city and was most pleasantly greeted by many friends.

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Mr. A. L. Freeman left yesterday for Asheville to spend the Summer, and within about two weeks Mrs. Freeman will join him in the mountain city.

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The rapid and satisfactory recovery of Miss Marie Grainger, following an operation for appendicitis at James Walker Memorial Hospital, gives her friends a great deal of pleasure.

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Charlotte Observer, Sunday: "Miss Lina deRosset, of Wilmington, who has been teaching school in Baltimore this Winter, will arrive in the city the first of June to attend the wedding of Miss Helen Katharine Liddell and Mr. D. B. McBride."

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Ex-Mayor Joseph D. Smith, who has been on his plantation in Harnett county since his term of office as Chief Executive of the city expired three weeks ago, is expected to return today to spend a few days with his family. He will not be here long, but will return to the country to spend the Summer.

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Wilmington friends will be interested in the following from Saturday's Greensboro Record: "Congressman C. M. Stedman will return to Wshington next Wednesday to resume his official duties. His daughter, Mrs. Katherine Palmer, will continue to reside here and keep house for her father, who will spend as much time here as possible."

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Friends in this city have received invitations reading as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Murrell
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to
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At Home
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Sunday's Atlanta American: "Mrs. Henry M. Flagler, who, by the death of her husband the past week becomes the possessor of many millions, is a Southern woman, having been Mary Kenan, of Wilmington, N. C. She is a charming woman and has never lost her gracious, unaffected cordiality as the wife of a multi-millionaire. Mrs. Flagler has many friends in Atlanta and in Macon, where her sister, Mrs. Clisby Wise formerly lived. Flagler was very devoted to his wife; and to all of her kinspeople, he was always kind and generous. When Mrs. Clisby Wise was married he gave her a beautiful residence on College street, in Macon, and at the birth of her little daughter a generous check of several thousand dollars come promptly as a birthday gift to the little girl. Mrs. Wise has spent much of her time with Mr. and Mrs. Flagler at 'Whitehall', their beautiful home in Florida."

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ECHO OF THE CONVENTION HELD IN NEWBERN RECENTLY.

Mrs. Al Fairbrother, of Greensboro, writing in Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer, of the recent convention of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs, has the following paragraphs that will be of peculiar interest in Wilmington:

"Miss Gibson, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Eugene Reilly, of Charlotte, ex-presidents, shared with Mrs. Cotten the honor of being recognized leaders who contributed in many ways to the success and pleasure of the occasion.

"To Mrs. M. L. Stover, of Wilmington, chairman of education, belongs the credit and the honor of suggesting the name for this loan fund, which jumped in a few minutes from $250 to over $1,000, the name of 'Sallie Southall Cotten' proving an open sesame to the purses as well as to the hearts of those present. Subscriptions came so fast that the victim (?) of this happily conceived and cleverly planned surprise which Mrs. Stover had studiously kept up her sleeve was quite overcome. For a moment, and for the first time in her life, perhaps, she was at a loss for words. It came at the end of the splendid report of the educational department and was the hit of the convention. Mrs. Cotten soon found her voice and expressed her genuine appreciation of the double honor done her by the club women in naming the educational loan fund after her, and also in electing her honorary president, another happy suggestion from Mrs. Stover after the election of officers at a later session."

ST. THOMAS SCHOOL FINALS.

Academy of Music Packed to Standing Room Last Night.

The Academy of Music was crowded to its utmost capacity last evening when the finals of St. Thomas' School (Catholic) for the colored people, were held, and the programme was rendered in such a way as to be very pleasing in every particular to the record-breaking audience. Bishop Leo Haid delivered an able address to the audience and the graduates, of whom there were three, Joseph Polite, Margaret Howell and Rose Pittman. The student in catechism who made the highest average was Janie Davis, and she was awarded the golden cross. The school has closed a very successful year, with a fine record for attendance.

McIlhenny Building Case.

Unless Superior Court grants a restraining order today, the owners of the McIlhenny building, corner of Second and Market streets, will have to begin the work of demolishing the structure, according to order of Council following its condemnation by a committee, for the five days, not counting Sunday, given by the Council for this work to commence, will expire today.

—To perfect the organization for the new year, the executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce and all committee chairmen will meet at the rooms of the Chamber tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Atlantic Coast Line — Personal & other Items From General Offices Here

Mr. George N. Spaven has taken a position on the Interline Bureau.

Mr. M. P. Watkins, of Richmond, Va., has taken a position on the Revising Bureau.

Mr. E. J. Johnson, of the Freight Claim Department, spent the week-end in Washington.

Mr. George P. Hardison, of the Auditor of Freight Receipts office, is visiting in Norfolk.

Mr. George H. Cannon, of the Claim Checking Bureau, spent Sunday at his home in Town Creek.

Mr. E. T. Mahone, of the Freight Claim Department, has returned from a short trip to Richmond.

Mr. T. M. Dunn, of the Auditor of Freight Receipts office, is ill at his room in the Cape Fear Apartments.

Mr. Ferdinand Fick, of the Relief Department, returned to work yesterday after a week's visit in Washington and Richmond.

Mr. Earl F. Penny, who has been in the employ of the Relief Departmentfor a number of years has taken a position in Mr. R. E. Smith's office.

The home of Mr. H. P. Johnson, Jr., was brightened on Wednesday by the arrival of a twelve-pound boy, of the Freight Traffic Department.

Mr. G. W. Bowdoin, of Wilmington, has taken a position in the Auditor of Freight Receipts office. Mr. Bowdoin graduates next year as a Medical Doctor at Richmond Medical College.

Mr. R. M. Bullard, who was formerly employed on the Revising Bureau, has recently opened a first class tonsorial parlor on Front street opposite the City Market.

Mr. W. A. Donville, of the Auditor of Freight Receipts office, was forced to relinquish his duties in that office last week and has left for his home in Goldsboro acting on the advise of his physician.

Passengers leaving the union station on Saturday morning during the heavy rain were subjected to a great deal of discomfort owing to the fact that workmen on the day previous had removed the tin from the roof of the shed preparatory to razing the structure. Arrangements have been made for the trains to leave on another track and this will prevent a recurrence of this circumstance. G. P. R.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. M. W. Woody, of Charlotte, was here yesterday.

—Mr. J. M. Council, of Wananish, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. D. E. Harllee, of Greensboro, spent the week-end in the city.

—Mr. E. J. Hill, of Warsaw, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Among the visitors yesterday was Mr. H. L. Taylor, of Newbern.

—Mr. W. G. Kenley, of Jacksonville, Fla., was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. T. L. Noell ,of Raleigh, was registered yesterday at The Orton.

—Mr. F. H. Sasscer, of North Wilksboro, was in the city yesterday.

—Col. T. W. Clawson, of The Star, spent Sunday with friends at Southport.

—Among The Orton's guests yesterday was Mr. B. R. King, of Goldsboro.

—Mr. J. C. Whitaker, of Winston-Salem, was among the guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. G. M. Henderson and M. M Capps, of Jacksonville, N C., were Orton guests yesterday

—Mr. John Trice, of Lexington, N. C., representative of the American Tobacco Co., was in the city yesterday.

—Judge M. H. Justice, of Rutherfordton, who is presiding at New Hanover Superior Court, is a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. L. J. Sloan, Mr. C. E. Hussey, Jr., Miss Bessie Hussie and Miss Mina McIntire, of Wallace, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. James Sinclair, of Waycross, Ga., and L. C. Houscton, of Thomasville, Ga., were registered yesterday at The Orton.

—Mr. D. F. Busick og Greensboro, is spending a few days in the city. Mr. Busick may move his family to Wilmington some time this Summer or Fall.

—Mr. C. L. Stevens, secretary of the Southport Chamber of Commerce, spent Sunday evening in the city, returning to Southport yesterday morning.

LOCAL DOTS.

—W. C. Buie, colored, charged with selling whiskey, was not tried yesterday morning by Justice Harriss, the case being sent over till this morning at 9 o'clock, when the case will be docketed in the Recorder's court.

—Chief of Police Fowler, taking a look into the whiskey storage room at police headquarters yesterday, judged that about six more half-pints of corn whiskey were missing from the box wherein a number of such bottles are stored.

—In the Recorder's court yesterday a well known attorney ran afoul of too many sibilants to handle rapidly, and came in an ace of saying a man had "expeded the seed limit" instead of "exceeded the speed limit," and several faces split with grins.

—A car containing flolur belonging to Mr. R. A. Wright, standing on the track on Water street near Swift & Co., was broken into Saturday night and several 12-pound bags of "Cremo" flour taken. A yale lock on the car was broken by the thief or thieves.

—A small blaze across the river on Eagles' island called out the fire department yesterday morning at 11:38, but the trucks did not cross, the fire being out by the time they reached the river. It was at the pitch kiln of C. H. Dock, and caught from a spark.

—The first excursion of the season is due to be operated to this city today from Clinton. The train will leave Clinton at 8:41 this morning and returning will leave here at 8 P. M. There will be separate coaches for white and colored passengers.

—The weekly meeting of the Boys' Brigade was held last night. Dr. J. M. Wells conducted his Bible class, and there was a busines meeting at which camp was discussed at length but nothing definite was decided upon, and the subject will come up again for final settlement next Monday night.

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MR. E. H. MUNSON PRESIDENT

Heads Wilmington Merchants' Association for Ensuing Year—Plans for Entertaining State Convention Discussed.

The annual meeting of the Wilmington Merchants' Association was held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce with a fairly large attendence. Besides the election of officers for the ensuing year the meeting was featured by a discussion of plans for the entertainment of the State association, which meets at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, June 17th, 18 and 19th.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—E. H. Hunson.
Vice President—Bernice C. Moore.
Treasurer—Joseph A. Price.
Secretary—Stuart R. Keyes.
Assistant Secretary—J. E. Burriss.

The following were elected members of the board of directors: A. M. Hall, the retiring president, who did not stand for de-election; Geo. Honnet, J. M. Solky, B. A. Merritt, J. F. Roache, I. W. Solomon, C. W. Polvogt.

The first part of the meeting was presided over by Mr. Hall, the retiring president, and after the election of the new officers Mr. Munson was called to the chair and presided over the remainder of the meeting. Mr. Munson is vice president of the State association and is one of the livest merchants in the State.

State Association.

The Programme for the State convention has practically been completed. The opening session will be held Tuesday evening, June 17th, at 8 o'clock, in the assembly hall of the Oceanic Hotel. President Joe Garibaldi, of Charlotte, will preside. Following prayer by some local minister, addresses of welcome will be delivered. In behalf of the City of Wilmington the visitors will be welcomed by Mayor Parker Quince Moore; in behalf of the local association by President E. H. Munson, and there will probably be one or two other welcoming addresses. The response will be made by Mr. Jas. E. Rector, Asheville. There will be no business at the opening session unless it is the appointment of committees and the consideration of a few minor matters.

Wednesday morning, June 18th, the convention will assemble at 9 o'clock, and the programme will be as follows: Reports of State officers Joe Garibaldi, president, Charlotte; E. W. Berryhille, secretary, Charlotte; S. P. Burton, treasurer, Asheville. Address, A. B. Justice, Legislation:—What the Merchant can do to Secure it." Address, "The Freight Rate Situation in North Carolina," A. J. Maxwell, clerk of Corporation Commission, Raleigh. Appointing of committees on constitution and by-laws, ways and means, resolutions, auditing and nominations.

The afternoon session begins at 2:30 'oclock. There will be addresses as follows: "A Merchants' Association for Every Wide-Awake Town in North Carolina," R. L. Poston, Statesville; "Your Secretary, and their qualifications," Miss L. Maie Stephenson, Charlotte, assistant secretary of the State association; "Result of Protected Credit," Miss Bessie Hill Hackney, secretary Raleigh Local; "What the Merchants' Association Has Done for Us," Geo. Y. Watson, Southport.

The feature of the evening session will be an address by Mr. Norman H. Johnson, editor of The Merchants' Journal and Commerce, published in Richmond, Va., whose subject will be "What the State Association has Accomplished for Merchants of North Carolina." There will be reports of the auditing committee and the committee on constitution and by-laws.

Thursday morning the convention will meet at 9 o'clock and following the report of the ways and means committee and the report of the committee on resolutions there will be a general discussion.

Reports of chairman committees will be the order at the closing session Thursday afternoon, as follows: Joe Garibaldii, special legislative committee; Edgar E. Broughton, Raleigh legislative; P. W. Vaughan, Durham, finance; J. N. McCausland, Charlotte, transportation; Archibald Nichols, Asheville, insurance; J. S. McRae, Maxton, arbitration.

It is expected that the convention will be attended by 150 or 200 merchants from different parts of the State. Many of these will be accompanied by members of their families.

WM. HOWARD TAFT HURT.

Wheels of Express Truck Pass Over His Attenuated Frame.

No. it was not "Dear Will" of the Bull Moose.

Nor the ex-President of the United States.

Nor the Yale professor who wears that celebrated name.

But a very thin negro employe of the Southern Express Company. He slipped at the incline at the causeway of the new union station yesterday and the wheels of one of the express trucks ran over him. He was sent to the hospital and they gave him some liniments and sent him home. So it seems that he wasn't much hurt.

Neither was Will Shaw, it is reported, who fell from the old train sheds at the union station, which a contractor is tearing away. He had every reason to be badly hurt, but inquiry at the hospital last night brought the word that he was doing very well.

Read Star Business Locals.

..Theatrical..

The new week at the Grand Theatre yesterday started off most auspiciously and today is going to be a "repeat" of the big offering of the opening day. The pictures are all first-class and the music by the orchestra is well worth listening to every day in the year.

The feature in the pictures is perhaps an Edison, "The One Hundred Dollar Elopement," a comedy-drama of surpassing interest and humor. The theme of this great comedy is "Marry in haste and repent at leisure," and it is well and most ludicrously developed. Then there is a three-subject Pathe, of much interest and variety. It is largely scenic and descriptive and starts with "The Palace of Fontainbleau," scenes in and around the famous palace built by Francis I, of France. Then another subject is "The Jelly Fish and the Plankton," an illustration of sea animal life that will be particularly interesting and informing. Then there is another great scenic film, "Along the Riviera," a series of views of the most beautious resort in all the world, including some real scenes in Monte Carlo.

The orchestra programme will open with a march, "Miss Liberty", by Leroy, and rendered as an overture, while two succeeding numbers will be "A Waltz Dream," by Straus, and a selection from "The Bohemian Girl," a caprice, "Dance of the Lunatics," by Allen and "Poinsettia Waltz" by Daly.

At The Bijou.

Another great week is in full and merry swing at the popular Bijou. It was opened under most auspicious circumstances yesterday, before giant sized audiences, and the inaugural bill of the week made a distinct hit.

Kalem's sensational film, "The Wayward Son," leads today's superb film list, and it is one of the greatest of dramatics. It tells how a young man goes astray, becomes a hobo, of his adventures, and of his timely arrival to save his father's home from being plundered.

A film of especial fascination is also on today in "The Cub Reporter's Temptation." It is a newspaper story with a dash, and full of excitement. The chase of the detectives after "second story" men and the scoop the young reporter gets are all clever, and will thrill. There is also one of Pathe's best on today, thus adding to the pleasure of those who are fortunate enought to be at the popular Bijou today.

—The Hanby property, northwest corner of Second and Chesnut streets, was not sold yesterday because no bid was offered. The bidding, by court order, had to start at $30,000. The property has 67 feet on Chesnut and 166 feet on Second street.

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Liability on Policies cancelled and not included in "Net Reserve," etc	17,471.21
Premiums paid in advance, including Surrender Values so applied	11,756.60
Unearned Interest and Rent paid in advance	35,995.18
Dividends due Policyholders.	125,531.08
Amounts set apart, apportioned, provisionally ascertained, calculated, awaiting apportionment, etc	677,385.33
Commissions due to Agents, etc	6,112.08
Taxes	72,288.40
Casualty Deposit	117,368.76
All other Liabilities as detailed in statement	8,187.26
Total amount of Liabilities except Capital	$ 11,022,130.79
Capital paid up in Cash	500,000.00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	141,475.13
Total Liabilities	$ 11,663,605.92

Business in North Carolina During 1912.

Policies on the lives of citizens of said State in force December 31st of previous year, Number, 19; Amount, $31,500.00.

Policies on the lives of citizens of said State issued during the year: Number, 5; Amount, $6,703.00.

Total: Number 24; Amount, $38,203.00.

Deduct ceased to be in force during the year: Number, 5; Amount, $8,703.00.

Policies in force December 31, 1912: Number, 19; Amount, $29,500.00.

Losses and Claims incurred during the year: Number, 2; Amount, $3,703.

Total: Number, 2; Amount, $3,703.00.

Losses and Claims settled during the Statement

NATIONAL LIFE INS. CO. OF THE U. S. OF A. Chicago, Ills.

Condition December 31, 1912, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of Capital paid up in Cash	$ 500,000.00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year; Total	9,357,168.74
Income—From Policyholders, $2,616,536.65; Miscellaneous, $4,082,044.00; Total	6,698,580.65
Disbursements—To Policyholders, $3,490,435.29; Miscellaneous, $1,334,787.62; Total	4,825,222.91

Assets.

Value of Real Estate (less amount of incumbrances)	$ 229,560.71
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	3,447,317.00
Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, Stocks or other collateral	56,000.00
Loans made to Policyholders on this Company's Policies assigned as collateral	1,752,127.92
Premium notes on Policies in force	180,672.17
Value of Bonds and Stocks	4,994,279.00
Cash in Company's Office	17,972.96
Deposited in Trust Companies and banks not on interest	4,947.77
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	604,613.41
Interest and Rents due and accrued	103,094.10
Premiums unpaid	283,259.03
All other Assets, as detailed in statement	107,925.08
Total	$11,781,749.21
Less Assets not admitted	118,143.29
Total admitted Assets	$11,663,605.92

Premiums collected or secured in Cash and Notes or Credits without any deduction for Losses, Dividends, Commissions or other expenses, $1,434.16.

President, A. M. Johnson; Secretary, R. D. Lay; Treasurer, R. D. Lay; Actuary, E. R. Carter.

Home Office: 29 LaSalle st., Chicago, Ills.

Attorney for service: Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh.

Business Manager for North Carolina: Home Office.

State of North Carolina, Insurance Department, Raleigh, March 3, 1913.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the National Life Ins. Company, of the U. S. of A., Chicago, Ills., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1912.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

J. R. YOUNG,
Insurance Commissioner.

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State of North Carolina, New Hanover County.

To John Haar, Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County:

Take notice that the undersigned, Allison Alderman, of New Hanover County, North Carolina, has entered and laid claim to, and does hereby enter and lay claim to, the following described piece or parcel of land in Cape Fear Township, New Hanover county, State of North Carolina, the said land being vacant and subject to entry under the laws of North Carolina.

Bounded on the north by the lower line of the Ash tract, on the east by niggerhead or stage road, on the south by the Walker line, and on the west by the Cape Fear River. A part of the said land being intersected by Cat-Fish Creek, the aforesaid tract containing by estimation Three Hundred (300) Acres.

ALLISON ALDERMAN.

Entered this 23rd day of May, 1913.

JOHN HAAR.
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET LOWERED

The Staple Effected by Weather and Crop Reports—Close Steady at Net Loss from Seven to Fourteen Points.

New York, May 26.—The cotton market was lower today, owing to favorable weather and crop news, but met considerable support on a scale down and closed steady at a net loss of from 7 to 14 points.

The opening was steady, at a decline of 3 to 9 points in sympathy with lower Liverpool cables and after some little irregularity the market sold about 13 to 14 points under the closing figures of Saturday. Indications for clear, warm weather, following recent rains in the South were considered very favorable from a new crop standpoint, and numerous reports were received indicating favorable progress in the Eastern belt since the wet weather of last week and a good start west of the river. A prominent Georgia crop and weather expert characterizes conditions of the past week as favorable to fully ninety per cent. of the belt, and a traveling crop expert said the outlook was good in the sections visited. In addition to these factors a well known Memphis authority issued a report placing the condition of the crop at 82.9, or about three points above the ten-year average, and estimating the increase in acreage at three per cent. Rumors that later returns to the National Ginners' Association indicated a better outlook than suggested by the preliminary figures of last Friday, probably encouraged the selling movement also, but the market met considerable support on the decline. Houses with foreign connections were again buyers of new crop deliveries, while there was continued covering, and after selling at 11.07 for October, the market rallied some 3 or 4 points. Another flurry of liquidation or bear pressure caused a mid-afternoon reaction to about the low point, but the buying was active enough to give the market a steady tone, at the close, which was a point or two up from the lowest.

Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands, 12.00; do, gulf, 12.25; sales, 400 bales.

Futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	.. ..	11.12	11.12	11.03
Mar	.. ..	11.22	11.22	11.13
May	.. ..	11.64	11.64	11.53
June	.. ..	....	....	....
July	.. ..	....	....	....
Aug	.. ..	11.66	11.67	11.60
Sept	.. ..	11.46	11.46	11.40
Oct	.. ..	11.19	11.20	11.15
Nov	.. ..	11.13	11.15	11.07
Dec	.. ..	11.13	....	....
	.. ..	11.15	11.16	11.08

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THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts, 2,551; gross receipts, 2,551; sales, 563; stock, 101,343; Great Britain, 7,855; France, 6,776; continent, 2,689; coastwise, 1,944.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 7-16; net receipts, 2,422; gross receipts, 2,422; sales, 111; stock, 77,181.

Mobile—Nominal, 11¾; net receipts, 620; gross receipts, 620; stock, 11,419; coastwise, 591.

Savannah—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 1,674; gross receipts, 1,674; sales, 300; stock, 59,606; coastwise, 265.

Charleston—Steady, 11&; net receipts, 303; gross receipts, 303; stock, 15,343; coastwise, 9.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11¾; net receipts, 127; gross receipts, 127; stock, 8,001.

Norfolk—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts, 761; gross receipts, 761; sales, 509; stock, 30,754; coastwise, 7,001.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¼; stock, 3,698.

New York—Quiet, 12.00; gross receipts, 2,766; sales, 400; Great Britain, 300; continent, 3,131; coastwise, 1,138.

Boston—Quiet, 12.00; net receipts, 45; gross receipts, 586; stock, 11,626.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.25; net receipts, 192; gross receipts, 192; stock, 4,638.

Texas City—Stock, 8,503.

Brunswick—Stock, 9,551.

Jacksonville—Stock, 522.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 8,695; Great Britain, 855; France, 6,776; continent, 5,830; stock, 427,635.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 15,381; Great Britain, 8,155; France, 6,776; continent, 13,663.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 9,490,224; Great Britain, 3,315,261; France, 948,190; continent, 3,238,924; Japan, 351,790; Mexico, 10,306.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts, 1,200; gross receipts, 1,200; shipments, 2,585; sales, 50; stock, 72,620.

Augusta—Steady, 12.00; net receipts 122; gross receipts, 122; shipments, 131; sales, 328; stock, 35,720.

Memphis—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 168; gross receipts, 439; shipments, 371; sales, 450; stock, 58,265.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12¼; gross receipts, 418; shipments, 1,025; sales, 15; stock, 27,424.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,231; gross receipts, 1,231; shipments, 920; stock, 25,949.

Little Rock—Quiet, 11¾; net receipts, 7; gross receipts, 7; shipments, 2; stock, 23,873.

Greenville—Quiet, 11¾.

Total today—Net receipts, 2,788; gross receipts, 3,977; shipments, 5,041; sales, 843; stock, 243,881.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, May 26.—Flour—Firm.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2, red, nominal; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 1.01¾.

Corn—Firm.

Oats—Steady.

Hides—Steady.

Leather—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm. Muscovado, 2.77¾ 2.83; centrifugal, 3.27@3.33; refined, quiet.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 11¾; Santos, No. 4, 13¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@17, nominal.

Potatoes—Firm. Bermuda, new, 3.00@5.25; Southern, white, 2.25@5.00; Southern $2.25@$3.00; Maine, in bulk, 2.75@3.25; State and Western, in bulk, $2.62@$3.00 sweets, Jersey, $1.25@$1.65.

Cabbages—Steady. Southern, $1.25@$1.75.

Freights—Quiet. Cotton to Liverpool, per 100 pounds, 30@35; grain to Liverpool, 3¼d; grain to London, 3½d.

Peanuts — Steady. Fancy hand-picked Virginia, 5¾; Virginia shelled, No. 1, and No. 2, 3½@7.

Cotton Seed Oil—Higher early, on buying by refiners and local professionals, induced by the strength in holdings in spots but the list eased off later in the selling of late months by the South, against new crude and scattered liquidation. Closing prices were 5c higher for May and unchanged to six points lower for later months. Sales, 18,000 ballers. Prime crude, nominal; prime Summer yellow, spot, 7.12; May and June, 7.15; July, 7.14; August, 7.22; September, 7.24; October, 6.89; November, 6.49; December, 6.41.

Prime Winter yellow, 7.25 bid; prime Summer white, 7.35 bid.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 26.—The cotton goods markets are steady, with business broadening on convertible and cloths for the manufacturing trades. Dress goods in worsteds is falling off. Cotton yarns are easier.

A man living at Auburn, New York, had a severe attack of kidney and bladder trouble. Being a working man, not wanting to lose time, nor run up a heavy doctor's bill, he cured himself completely by using Foley Kidney Pills. A year later he says: "It is a pleasure to report that the cure was permanent." He has had no return whatever of the pain, backache and burning. His name is J. A. Farmer, and he says: "Of course I recommend Foley Kidney Pills as a very effective cure for kidney and bladder trouble." Robt. R. Bellamy.
(Advertisement.)

THE WHEAT MARKET STRONGER

Reports of Light Rains in Dry Districts Causes Rally in Wheat Corn Makes a Net Gain.

Chicago, May 26.—Wheat rallied today when it was shown that rains in the dry districts were light. The market closed nervous, at prices ranging from Saturday night's level to ¼ up. Corn made a net gain of ⅝ to ⅞@1⅛; oats finished unchanged to 1¼c. higher, and provisions dearer by 5@7½c. to 35c.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.07⅝@1.08½; No. 2, hard, 93¾@95; No. 1, Northern, 93@95; No. 2, no., 92@93; No. 2, Spring, 91@92; velvet chaff, 90@95; durum, 90@96.

Corn—No. 2, 59½@60¾; No. 2, white, 61@61½; No. 2, yellow, 58¾@60.

Oats—No. 2, white, 41¾; standard, 39½@39¾.

Wheat—May, 92¼; July, 91⅝; September, 90½@90⅝; December, 92¼@92⅝.

Corn—May, 59⅝; July, 58⅝; September, 58¼; December, 58⅝.

Oats—May, 41⅝; July, 38⅝; September, 37⅝@38; December, 38⅝.

Pork—May, 20.15; July, 20.10; September, 19.70.

Lard—May, 11.17½; July, 11.07½; September, 11.17½.

Ribs—May, 12.25; July, 11.45; September, 11.25.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Navahoe, 1,278 tons, Packer, New York, A. J. Becker.

Schr. Adelia T. Carleton, 208 tons, Kent, New York, Mafflitt & Wood.

Str. Lisbon, Black, Tar Heel, C. P. Love.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Edge, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Cleared.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Edge, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

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Steamers.

Str. Strathallen (Br.), 2,830 tons, Scores, Heide & Co.

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Str. Kildale (Br.), 2,430 tons, Heide & Co.

Str. Daybreak (Br.), 2,604 tons, Morris, Henry White, Agent, Seaboard Air Line.

Schooners.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 495 tons, Graham, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Adelia T. Carleton, 208 tons, Kent, Mafflitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 36½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.35 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel; in casks, 9c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.50 per barrel for hard; $3.25 per barrel for dip, and $3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 44½; rosin, $6.05; tar, $1.90; crude turpentine, 3.25; per barrel for hard; 4.50 for dip; 4.50 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	
Rosin	(—)
Tar	17
Crude Turpentine	(—)
Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 13 casks; rosin, 30 barrels; tar, 6 barrels; crude turpentine, 21 barrels.	5

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11⅞ for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts, 127; same day last year, 108 bales.

Total receipts, since Sept. 1st, 338,795 bales.

Total receipts, same time last year, 507,900 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 24.)

CORN—Firm, 75c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 to $1.25 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 75 to 80c. cow peas, $1.50 to $1.75 per bu.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.00@$2.25 to $2.40; BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11c. to 12c. per lb.; free of burs, 15c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 18 to 19c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13 to 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, dull. Grown, 45@50c.; Spring chickens, 20@30c. per head.

EGGS—Good Demand, 20c.

SHEEP—Old sheep, $1.00 to $2.50 per head. Lambs, $1.00 to $3.00 per head.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., May 26.

Atlantic Coast Line—29 bales cotton; 17 barrels rosin; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—70 bales cotton.

Clyde Line—28 bales cotton.

Total—127 bales cotton; 17 barrels rosin; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, May 24.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 65c.; machine picked, 60c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.25; machine-picked, $1.20.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine-picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., May 23, 1913.

SPANISH—Farmers' Spanish, firm, at $1.52½ per bushel. No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 9c. to 9½c. per lb. No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 6½c. to 6¾c. per lb.

VIRGINIAS—Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb. Machine Picked, 3c. to 3¼c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. to 2¾c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. per lb.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, May 26.—Cotton, spot, in increased demand; prices easier. Middling fair, 7.30; good middling, 6.96; middling, 6.76; low middling, 6.02; good ordinary, 6.28; ordinary, 5.94.

Sales, 10,000, including 1,500 for speculation and export and 9,600 American.

Receipts, 14,000, including 13,000 American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed weak. May, 6.46½; May and June, 6.46½; June and July, 6.43½; July and August, 6.40; August and September, 6.38; September and October, 6.16; October and November, 6.08½; November and December, 6.05; December and January, 6.04; January and February, 6.03½; February and March, 6.04½; March and April, 6.05½; April and May, 6.06; May and June, 6.07.

TOBACCO REPORT.

Washington, May 26.—Tobacco held by manufacturers and dealers on April 1st amounted to 1,359,252,507 pounds, compared with 1,047,404,500 pounds on October 1st, last, the census bureau today announced in its second report on tobacco.

Chewing, smoking, snuff and export types amounted to 914,926,061 pounds, cigar types 93,556,026 pounds, and imported types 51,762,500 pounds.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit Declares Dividend.

New York, May 26.—The Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company declared today a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent., raising the dividend rate from 5 to 6 per cent. The stock has been paying 5 per cent. since July 1910.

STOCK MARKET IRREGULAR

Various Conditions and Developments Offered in Explanation of Yesterday's Movement—Dealers Disappointed.

New York, May 26.—Disappointment was the portion today of that element on the stock exchange which had looked for a resumption of Saturday's strong and active market. Progress of prices reflected a degree of irregularity which soon turned to heaviness.

Various conditions and developments were offered in explanation of the day's movement. Chief among these was the absence of definite news in connection with Union Pacific-Southern Pacific dissolution proceedings, although the chief executive of the first named system was in conference during the day with the Attorney General at Washington.

Another deterrent factor was found in the protection session of the United States Supreme Court, whose deliberations continued long after the market's close. There was some disposition to pay more than passing heed to the speech delivered last Saturday before a group of bankers in the middle west, by a representative of an influential banking institution, in which a distinct note of caution was sounded. Finally the day brought a number of railroad earnings, few of which were favorable.

As a partial offset to these adverse features, the constructive side found some comfort in an increase of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit dividend from a five to six per cent. annual basis. Late trading reflapsed to minor proportions, with recurrent heaviness in the leaders, and an abrupt seven point advance in Virginia-Carolina preferred.

London operations here were negligible, purchases of Union Pacific and other railers being nullified by sales of Canadian Pacific and industrials.

Features of the bond market included another low record for St. Louis and San Francisco 5s and heavy dealings in Atchison convertibles. United States advanced ½ and Panama 3s, coupon, declined ⅛ on call. Total sales, par value, $2,800,000. Total sales of stocks were 246,000.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	74⅝
American Agricultural	49½
American Beet Sugar	29
American Can	33¾
American Can, pfd	93¼
American Car and Foundry	48⅝
American Cotton Oil	40
American Ice Securities	24½
American Linseed	9¼
American Locomotive	32¼
American Smelting and Ref	68
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	101½
American Sugar Ref	111¼
American Tel. and Tel	129¼
American Tobacco	227
Anaconda Mining Co	38
Atchison	99⅝
Atchison, pfd	99½
Atlantic Coast Line	123
Baltimore and Ohio	98⅝
Bethlehem Steel	32¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	91¼
Canadian Pacific	23
Central Leather	24¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	13½
Chicago Great Western	108
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	120
Chicago and North Western	31¼
Colorado Fuel and Iron	122⅝
Consolidated Gas	10¼
Corn Products	8
Delaware and Hudson	23
Denver and Rio Grande	93
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	157½
Distillers' Securities	134½
Erie	32
Erie, 1st pfd	28½
Erie, 2nd pfd	43
General Electric	34⅝
Great Northern, pfd	129¾
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	127¼
Illinois Central	33
Interborough-Met	115
Interborough-Met., pfd	141½
Inter-Harvester	50½
Inter-Marine, pfd	104½
International Paper	15½
International Pump	9
Kansas City Southern	8
Laclede Gas	23
Lehigh Valley	93
Louisville and Nashville	157½
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	134½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	32
Missouri Pacific	23⅝
National Biscuit	35
National Lead	114
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	48
New York Central	20
New York, Ont. and Western	100¼
Norfolk and Western	28⅞
North American	105½
Northern Pacific	70
Pacific Mail	115½
Pennsylvania	122
People's Gas	110¼
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	100
Pittsburg Coal	93½
Pressed Steel Car	17⅝
Pullman Palace Car	24½
Reading	154
Republic Iron and Steel	161¼
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	25
Rock Island Co	8½
Rock Island Co., pfd	17½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	31
Seaboard Air Line	12¼
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	16¼
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	40⅝
Southern Pacific	30
Southern Railway	97⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	24½
Tennessee Copper	77
Texas and Pacific	34⅝
Union Pacific	153⅞
Union Pacific, pfd	153¼
United States Realty	84
United States Rubber	65⅝
United States Steel	62⅝
United States Steel, pfd	60⅞
Utah Copper	106¼
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	59½
Wabash	28
Wabash, pfd	7¼
Western Maryland	39
Western Union	65¼
Westinghouse Electric	62¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 26.—Money on call, steady, at 2@2¼ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2; time loans, steady; sixty and ninety days, 3¾@4 per cent.; six months, 4½@4¾; prime mercantile paper, 5½ per cent.; Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8310 for sixty day bills, and at 4.8640 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.82½. Bar silver, 60¼. Mexican dollars, 48. Government and railroad bonds, Irregular.

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, May 26.—Rosin—Quiet.

Turpentine—Steady.

Savannah, May 26.—Turpentine, firm, at 37¾@38. Sales, 895 barrels; receipts, 801; shipments, 210; stocks, 23,190.

Rosin—Firm. ales, none; receipts, 2,272; shipments, 1,110; stocks, 77,225. Quote: A, B, 4.55; C, D, 4.60; E, 4.65; F, 4.70; G, 4.75; H, 4.80; I, 4.90; K, 5.20; M, 5.65; N, 6.35; W G, 6.55; W W, 6.85.

Rutherford county is spending $250,000 to improve the roads of that county and the beautiful and romantic Chimney Rock and Hickory Nnt Gap section is to be opened to the tourist by a system of fine highways. This is one of the most picturesque sections of the whole mountain region and the fine roads will be a great factor in the development of this country for tourist travel. The Rutherfordton Sun believes that this should become one of the great resort sections of the mountains and calls upon the Seaboard Air Line to aid in advertising this section like the Southern advertises the Asheville and Hendersonville sections. It seems that the Seaboard wiuld find this a matter of good business policy to develop this region for summer tourists, and it would be profitable alike to the railway and to the people.—Greensboro News.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

May 27, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 68 degrees; at 8 P. M., 69 degrees; maximum, 77 degrees; minimum, 58 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .60; rainfall for the month to date, 93.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 9.03 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Tuesday in interior, and Tuesday or Tuesday night on the coast. Wednesday, probably fair.

The Port Calendar—May 27.

Sun rises	5:03 A. M.
sun sets	7:15 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 12 min.

Tides.	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	3:04	3:33	10:25	10:48
Southport	1:40	1:17	7:23	7:37
Masonboro Inlet	1:29	1:06	7:02	7:17

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

May 26, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	98	68	.0
Asheville	cloudy	74	50	.08
Atlanta	cloudy	80	64	.0
Birmingham	cloudy	80	64	.0
Boston	cloudy	62	50	.0
Charleston	clear	76	64	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	80	58	.0
Chicago	cloudy	54	42	1.82
Jacksonville	clear	80	62	.0
Memphis	cloudy	86	64	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	86	60	.0
New Orleans	clear	82	66	.0
New York	cloudy	68	52	.0
Pittsburg	raining	70	50	.16
Savannah	cloudy	80	56	.0
St. Louis	clear	78	62	.0
Washington	pt cldy	76	60	.80
Wilmington	raining	74	60	.01

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ELECTION NOTICE.

FOR BONDS FOR ROADS and BRIDGES

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1913 session, entitled "An Act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to issue bonds for road improvement and to construct bridges," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call and give notice of an election to be held by the qualified voters of New Hanover County on Tuesday, May 27th, 1913, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, to determine whether New Hanover County, North Carolina, shall issue $100,000.00 of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, construction and improving the public roads and bridges in said County.

At this election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County," or "Against continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote for "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County," and all qualified electors who are opposed to the issue of said bonds shall vote "Against continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County."

For the purpose of this election, as authorized by the said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered, and do hereby order, a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several townships, precincts and wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in the said several townships, precincts and wards:

Cape Fear Township—Polling place, Ritter's blacksmith shop, Castle Hayne road; Registrar, W. H. Sheerin; Judges of Election, W. S. Cooper and C. E. E. Kerr.

Harnett Township—Delgado, Barber shop, Delgado Mills; Registrar, F. C. Branch; Judges of Election, W. G. James and H. C. Blake.

Harnett Township — Seven-Mile Post; Polling place, Township house; Registrar, George T. Shepard; Judges of Election, Gerrit Walker and C. H. Alexander.

Harnett Township — Sea Gate; Polling place, Rogers' store, Sea Gate station; Registrar, Rev. A. C. Chafin; Judges of Election, G. W. Westbrook and Z. A. Sneeden.

Masonboro Township—Polling place, Fisher's store, Whiskey Creek; Registrar, J. A. Farrow; Judges of Election, C. W. Bishop and J. A. Hines.

Federal Point Township—Polling place, T. J. Burnett's farm; Registrar, T. J. Burnett; Judges of Election, John A. Biddle and H. B. Williams.

Wilmington Township—First ward, Precinct No. 1—Polling place, Barding store, No. 818 No. 4th st.; Registrar, W. H. Bardin; Judges of Election, W. H. Cox and W. Mell Evans.

Wilmington Township—First ward, Precinct No. 2—Polling place, Engine house, 4th and Campbell sts.; Registrar, George W. Branch; Judges of Election, W. H. Howe and William Sheehan, Sr.

Wilmington Township — Second ward—polling place, Court house; Registrar, J. N. Fennell. Judges of Election, T. E. Sprunt and W. J. Meredith.

Wilmington Township — Third ward — Polling place, Gibelm Lodge, 8th and Princess; Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges of Election, Brooke French and John Hall.

Wilmington Township — Fourth ward — Polling place, Oldham's old store, Dock, between Front and Second streets; Registrar, W. P. Oldham; Judges of Election, W. P. Emerson and J. M. Stevenson.

Wilmington Township—Fifth ward, Precinct No. 1—Polling place, Market house, 5th and Castle sts.; Registrar, I. W. King; Judges of Election, J. J. Louglin and H. K. Nash.

Wilmington Township—Fifth ward, Precinct No. 2—Polling place, Engine house, 4th and Castle sts.; Registrar, G. W. Irving; Judges of Election, W. M. Creasy and D. J. Fergus.

The Registration books of each Township, precinct and ward will be kept open for registration of electors for twenty days preceding the day for closing the registration books, as hereinafter provided, Sundays excepted, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and sunset on each day, beginning April 24th, 1913; and said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before the election, to-wit, May 17th, 1913; and on Saturday, the 26th day of April, 1913, and on the 3rd day of May, 1913, and on the 10th day of May, 1913, and on the 17th day of May, 1913, the Saturdays thereafter, the registrars shall attend with their registration books at the polling places of their respective townships, precincts and wards for the registration of electors.

The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective townships, precincts and wards with the registration books on the Saturday preceding the election, to-wit, May 24th, 1913, from the hour of nine o'clock A. M. till the hour of three o'clock P. M., when and where the said books will be open for the inspection of the electors of said townships, precincts and wards, and any of the said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This, the 19th day of April, 1913, by order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

M. S. WILLARD, Chairman.

Attest: JOHN HAAR Clerk.

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Chattanooga, Tenn, May 27-29th, 1913.

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WILSON ASSAILS THE LOBBY SYSTEM

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tatives of manufacturing and other interests.

Senator Johnson's sub-committee heard witnesses protesting against free sugar and sundry articles and representatives of large Southern cotton mills opposed to the rates of cotton and cotton goods. Senator Stone's sub-committee heard many witnesses protesting against woolen manufactures and silk rates.

Darwin P. Kingsley, who appeared before Senator Williams' committee, appealed for exemption on the income tax of all insurance business done for mutual benefit and protection and not for profit and maintained that companies such as his came under that classification.

The committee took the matter under advisement after Mr. Kingsley had given the assurance that the entire surplus of the New York Life Company was held in reserve for the participation of policy-holders.

Spirited Exchange.

Mr. Kingsley had a spirited exchange with Senator Williams over campaign contributions disclosed in the Hughes investigation several years ago.

"When your company paid $250,000 to the campaign fund," asked Senator Williams, "none of that money ever was participated in by the policy-holders, was it?"

"No, it was not," said Mr. Kingsley.

"Then that proved that your company's assertion that policy-holders participated in all the earnings of the company was false did it?"

"It proved," Mr. Kingsley returned, "that the judgment of the company's officers who paid this campaign contribution thinking it was necessary to protect the assets of the company was bad."

"It proved more than that," asserted Senator Williams. "It was absolute dishonesty. I was a policy-holder and a Democrat and you took part of my money and gave it away to protect me against my own party. But has all that sort of thing been done away with in the insurance business?"

"Absolutely," replied President Kingsley. He explained laws which prohibit it.

In the Senate Senator Cummings questioned the methods by which experts of the Finance committee had reduced the specific rates in the Payne-Aldrich bill to the equivalent ad valorem rates in the Underwood bill. He said that the equivalents were misleading in many instances. Senator Simmons said he would endeavor to ascertain the methods employed by the experts.

FAVORS BOND ISSUE.

Editor Star:—Being a woman I may not vote, but representing as I do, a body of women who think and plan daily for the betterment of the community, I wish to speak to the men whose privilege it is to vote for or against the proposed school bonds.

Some one has said, and very truly, that the greatest asset of any people lies not in the crops they raise, the forests they grew, nor yet in the gold they mine, but in the children who live among them, the children upon whom in a few years will fall the duties of citizenship, and the care of the community. Assuming that the above statement is one regarding which we are all agree, there remains nothing left for us to do but to decide upon the most effective methods for developing our children, Wilmington's great asset. The acknowledged way, the only way indeed, is by providing for them better educational facilities, better school houses, and better equipped school houses.

Through the columns of this paper, the facts regarding present school conditions have been set forth, and the responsibility has been placed where it belongs, with the parents. Thte old wooden school houses are not only ussafe but inadequate. When we visit other towns, smaller and less pretentious than Wilmington, and see their modern, well-equipped, brick school houses, we are ashamed of our own. Two nice buildings, one in the Northern and one in the Southern section of the city, would supply the immediate needs.

A more or less prominent citizen confided to me the fact that he went to school in a log school house and sat on a bench without a back. The logic is very poor. He also probably walked to school barefoot, and carried a homespun school bag, but the question is did he get as much in the way of real education as does the modern boy who rides his bicycle six miles over the Wrightsville road to the High School every day. This gentleman realizes that so far as he is concerned, the times have changed, and that what was once good enough for him is so no longer. In short, he sees that progress represented by the rest of the community, has pushed him into better modes of living. He owns some property, and if these school bonds carry he will have to pay a little additional tax, but if he will do that, we will progress some more and allow him the privilege of living in a better educated and more progressive community than he has ever lived in before. And that in itself is a privilege not to be despised.

Mr. Bear has set the Wealthy men of our community a most worthy example, but we are holding them in reserve for the industrial school that we must have in Wilmington within a few years, and we are trusing that the plain, every-day, common sense of the community will be expressed at the polls today, and that Wilmington may no longer have occasion to hide her face in shame on the subject of school houses and school equipment.

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COTTON POOL.

Several Indictments Made in Connection With Corner in 1910.

Washington, May 26.—Demand for legal action against those who sold cotton to James A. Patten and others of the cotton "pool" indicted in 1910 for running a corner, was made in the Senate today by Senator Smith, of South Carolina, who said he had been assured that the Department of Commerce, if the Senate would pass a proper resolution, would thoroughly investigate the selling end of the famous pool.

"If the Department of Commerce does its duty thoroughly," he declared, "we will indict the men who made those contracts of sale in the effort to keep the price of cotton down."

Attorney General Wickersham brought no action against the sellers, but indicted the buyers.

A resolution instructing the Secretary of Commerce to invetsigate was carried over to the next session of the Senate, at the request of Senator Clark, of Wyoming.

The United States buys 1,000,000,000 pounds of coffee annually.

TO INVESTIGATE CURRENCY SYSTEM

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if necessary, issue emergency currency to the total amount of $295,000,000. The bill would give banks authority to issue the new notes to an amount not greater than the difference between their present bond secured currency and their total paid in capital. The new notes would constitute a "first and preferred lien" upon all the assets of the bank by which they were issued.

To restrict the use of the new currency to emergencies the Nelson bill proposes a tax of 4 per cent. per year on the extra notes, increasing in rate monthly and reaching ten per cent in five months.

In a statement accompanying the bill, Senator Nelson drew attention to the fact that the total amount of clearing house certificates issued during the financial crisis of 1907 was $238,000,000, or nearly $50,000,000 less than the amount of emergency currency that would be made available under his plan.

GOLF CONTEST.

First Matches Yesterday in Amateur Chapionship of The World.

St. Andrews, Scotland, May 26.—The weather was perfect for the opening of today's matches for the amateur golf championship of the world.

Douglas Grant of San Francisco, who had entered as a member of the Richmond Gold Club, in England, scratched at the last moment. Harold Weber, of Toledo; C. W. Inslee, of the Oneida Community Club of New York, W. Heinrich Schmidt, of Worcester, Mass.; Camphell D. White of San Francisco and Findlay S. Douglas of the Nassau Country Club, Long Island, were all ready to start.

Schmidt beat D. Stoner Crowther of London by 4 up and 3 to play.

Douglas lost to W. Fowlis, of St. Andrews by 5 up and 3 to play.

Inslee lost to C. F. Yeomans, of the Royal North Devon Club by 4 up and 2 to play.

Frederick Roosevelt Scovel, of Washington, D. C., lost to William, of the Broughty Ferry Club by three up and two to play.

Thte only Canadian entrant, Jackson Walton, lost to Lester Stevens, of the Royal Cinque Ports Club by 6 up and and 5 to play.

John Ball, of the Royal Liverpool Club, the holder of the amateur championship title and who has been the winner eight times, was beaten by one hole by a British amateur named Feigler. The doctor had ordered Ball not to play owing to the injury he received in a motorcycle accident a few days ago.

UMPIRE NICKENS RELIEVED.

Dropped Because he Assaulted Player With Beer Bottles.

Bristol, Va., May 26—When Bristol and Cleveland met on the Cleveland grounds this afternoon Manager Munson, of the local team, protested against Umpire Harry Nickens being allowed to run the game because of an assault Nickens is alleged to have made on two Bristol players last night a few minutes after the team reached Cleveland.

Manager Riggs of Cleveland joined him in the protest and President Smith relieved him. Nickens had trouble here with the players last week and three were fined by him. After the game he was assaulted by fans and left town. The Bristol players claim that on their way to the hotel at Cleveland last night, Nickens assaulted Third Baseman Bowers, and Second Baseman, Bowdoin with beer bottles. He was roughly handled by the other players before Manager Munson arrived and stopped the fight.

THE ROCK QUARRY.

County Commissioners Notified to Stop Operations At Once.

At the special meeting of the County Commissioners yesterday, Chairman Willard notified the board that he had a letter from Herbert McClammy, Esq., administrator of the I. B. Rhodes estate, asking that the board cease operations at the quarry at once. He had replied that the county would excavate no more rock, but would remove what had been crushed, or uncovered and Mr. McClammy had responded with a letter requiring the board to cease all operations immediately. Mr. Willard said that there were 15 or 20 car loads of rock ready to be moved, and a lot that had been uncovered. The county had spent a lot of money uncovering the rock ready for blasting, and he hated to see the money lost. The permanent road committee was instructed to attend to the matter with power to act.

BIG LEAGUER MARRIES.

First Baseman of New York Americans to Miss Anna Cherurg.

Jersey City, N. J., May 26.—A marriage license was issued here today to Harald Harris Chase and Miss Anna Cherurg, of New York. He is the first baseman of the New York American League team. Chase and Miss Cherurg applied for the license this morning, but inasmuch as Chase couldn't produce a certified copy of the decree of divorce from his first wife, the license clerk refused to issue it. Chase was busy this afternoon with his team, striving to stave off defeat by the Bostons and Miss Cherurg came alone to the license bureau with the decree and received the license.

FANNED FIFTEEN.

"Bull" City Twirler Establishes New Strike-out Record.

Greensboro, N. C., May 26.—Pitcher Yon of the Durham team, of the Carolina baseball association, established a new strike-out record for the league this afternoon when he fanned 15 members of the Greensboro team in the game at Durham. The record of 14 strike-outs was previously held by Ray of the Winston team.

FLESH-FORMING FOOD

When you buy a package of Samose, the great flesh-forming food, weigh yourself and see how much you gain in the first week's use. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., will tell of many of their customers who a month or so ago were thin, pale and haggard, but who are now, through the use of Samose, plump, strong and happy, with perfect health and attractive flesh. They have seen so many instances of the wonderful power of Samose to restore the weak and sick to strength and health, and to make good natural flesh that they give their personal guarantee with every package of Samose they sell to refund the money if it does not prove satisfactory.

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Absolutely Pure

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

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INVESTIGATION DELAYED.

Senate Considering Problem of West Virgina Coal Fields.

Washington, May 26.—A resolution for an investigatian of conditions in the West Virginia coal strike zone was favorably reported to the Senate today by the Education and Labor committee and was declared by Vice President Marchall to have been agreed to by unanimous consent, but wound up by becoming the unfinished business, a position it occupied two weeks ago.

It will come before the committee ultimately at the conclusion of tomorrows business and the vote ordered today probably will be taken before adjournment. Although Senator Becon made a vigorous attack upon investigation of the conduct of State officials by the Senate and warned against such an "invasion" of State rights, Senator Goff announced that he did not intend to fight further against its adoption, and it was generally agreed that it would be passed.

As reported from the education and labor committee the resolution carries two fresh amendments, one calling for an investigation of whether there had been discrimination against the West Virginia coal fields by immigration authorities at ports of entry, and the other to ascertain if arms and explosives have been imported into that zone for the purpose of interfering with trade and transportation and coal.

THE "ASHEVILLE CURE."

Senator Overman Introduces Resolution for an Investigation.

Washington, May 26.—At Senator Overman's request the Senate today authorized the public health service to investigate a tuberculosis cure discovered by two North Carolina doctors. The public health service today made a report by Surgeon J. O. Cobb, commanding the Marine Hospital at Chicago, recommending that the service refuse any further investigation into the treatment "discovered" by a Chicago doctor. The recommendation was accepted.

EPISCOPAL COUNCIL.

Will Convene for Three days Session in Lexington, Va.

Lexington, Va., May 26.—The Episcopal council of the Southern diocese of West Virginia will convene in Lee Memorial Episcopal Church here tomorrow for a three days session.

More than a hundred delegates are exected to be in attendance. Bishop Randolph and Bishop Coadjustor Tucker will preside over the council's deliberations.

PASSES SENATE.

New Jersey Law Makers Sanction Juyr Reform Bill.

Trenton, N. J., May 26.—The chancellor-sheriff jury reform bill, which has the approval of President Woodrow Wilson, passed the Senate tonight by a strict party vote. The measure passed the lower branch of the general assembly two weeks ago.

Statement
GERMAN-AMERICAN INSURANCE CO., New York.
Condition December 31, 1912, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of Capital paid up in cash	$ 2,000,000.00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year, Total	20,794,977.69
Income—From Policyholders, $8,470,179.68; Miscellaneous, $2,748,668.94; Total	11,218,848.62
Disbursements—To Policyholders, $4,676,485.53; Miscellaneous, $5,456,936.89; Total	10,133,422.42
Fire Risks—Written or renewed during year, $1,419,963,650; In force	2,146,701,883.00
Assets.	
Value of real estate	$ 2,675,108.73
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	168,800.00
Value of Bonds and Stocks	16,706,880.24
Cash in Company's Office	1,257.14
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks not on interest	129,490.53
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	455,617.88
Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1912	1,756,171.81
Agents' balances, representing business written prior to October 1, 1912	32,039.56
Interest and Rents due and accrued	142,636.90
All other Assets, as detailed in statement	15,000.00
Total	$ 22,023,040.88
Less Assets not admitted	784,615.53
Total admitted Assets	$ 21,238,425.35
Liabilities.	
Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	$ 820,524.48
Unearned Premiums	8,444,179.66
Salaries, rents, expenses, bills, accounts, fees, etc., due or accrued	22,858.59
Estimated Federal, State, county and municipal taxes	140,000.00
Commissions, brokerage, and other charges due or to become due to agents and brokers	41,447.00
Return Premiums and Re-insurance	173,438.38
All other Liabilities, as detailed in statement	19,379.66
Total amount of Liabilities except Capital	$ 9,662,027.17
Capital Actually paid up in Cash	$ 2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	9,576,398.18
Total Liabilities	$ 21,238,425.35

Business in North Carolina During 1912.
Fire Risks written, $16,382,607; Premiums received $ 223,586.46
Losses incurred—Fire, $103,675.99; Paid 100,411.19
President, William N. Kremer; Secretary, C. G. Smith.
Home Office: 1 Liberty st., New York City.
Attorney for service: Walker Taylor, Wilmington, N. C.
Business Manager for North Carolina: Home Office.
State of North Carolina, Insurance Department, Raleigh, Feb. 14, 1913.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the German-American Ins. Company, of New York, filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1912.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

J. R. YOUNG,
Insurance Commissioner.

SUPREME COURT DECISION.

Regarded Ownership of Riverbed is Precedent Making.

Washington, May 26.—The Supreme Court decided today that the government was not required to pay the Chandler-Dunbar Waterpower Company $550,000 as adjudged by a Michigan Federal Court, for waterpower appurtent to land condemned for the construction of additional locks and canals at the St. Mary's river. It was held that the flow of a navigable stream was in no sense the property of the owner of adjacent land, or of the owner of the bed of the river. The decision is regarded as a precedent making one.

TWO CONFERENCES CREATED.

Seventh-Day Adventists of the World Meet and Elect Officers.

Washington, May 26. — Two great conference organizations, one the North American division conference, and the other the European division conference, were created at today's session of the Seventh-Day Adventists of the World, at Takoma Park, Md.

Officers elected today for the European conference include: Elder L. R. Conradi, of Hamburg, P. R. The North American Conference will meet tomorrow to organize and elect its officers.

NEW PLAN.

Senator Introduces Bill Providing Changes in National Elections.

Washington, May 26.—A new plan for National elections and the assembling of Congress was proposed today by Senator Works in two bills. He would change election day from November to August, and provide for annual sessions of Congress from the first Monday of October to the first Monday in June. Congressmen would assume office in October, immediately after election and the President and Vice President would take office in November.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Motion Pictures.

Business Locals.

For Rent—House.
C. W. Worth—For Rent.
Palace Market—Telephone.
M. C. Darby & Co.—For Rent.
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Mrs. Elizabeth McIntosh—Northrop Cottage.

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NORTHROP COTTAGE — Wrightsville Beach; will open for guests Saturday, May 31st. Rates, $10 to $15 per week. Mrs. Elizabeth McIntosh. my27,30;je1,3,6-5t

TELEPHONE us your orders. We have what you want. Very best of beef, lamb and pork. All kinds of fresh vegetables and fruits. All canned goods must be sold at cost. Palace Market, 'phone 72. my27-1t

FOR RENT—For month of June, at station 2, Wrightsville Beach, ocean side. See M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. my27-2t

FOR RENT—818 Chestnut street; modern; eight rooms. See M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. my27-2t

FOR RENT — 16 South Seventh; eight rooms; in splendid condition; all conveniences. See M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. my27-2t

FOR RENT—510 Dock; nine rooms; steam heat; two bath rooms. See M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. my27-2t

FOR RENT—House of nine rooms and bath. Fine location for renting rooms. Complete furnishings for sale. Good investment. E. C.," care Star. my27-6t

WANTED—Position with wholesale grocery or dry goods house. Best of references furnished. Address "L. F.," care Star. my27-1t*

WANTED—Good man to handle line of ciders and vinegars. Exclusive territory and high grade goods. Liberal commissions, weekly settlements. Exclusive or side line. References required. Redlands Mfg. Co., Richmond, Va. my25-3t*

FOR RENT—(or sale at a price). Several cottages on Greenville Sound. On turnpike, half mile from Seagate station, fifteen minutes to Lumina. Fruit, gardens, lawns and grand shade trees. Apply to C. W. Worth. my25-2t

IF HEALTH IS WEALTH then become wealthy by having your linen laundered by a Sanitary Laundry. 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry, "The Sanitary Way." my25-3t

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EVERY YEAR we distribute in Wilmington in salaries alone thousands of dollars Are you getting your part? 'Phone 29. Wilmington Steam Laundry, Oldest, Largest, Best. my25-3t

SPECIAL CUT PRICE sale Monday. All canned goods must be sold. Cost price is all we want. 'Phone us your wants. Will send to you quick. Palace Market. 'Phone 72. my25-1t

YOUNG MAN with some experience, wishes clerical position. Good references furnished. Address "R. B.," care Star. my25-2t*

FOR RENT for Summer season, furnished, my place on Greenville Sound, known as "Shandy Hall." Having other plans for Summer, we would be glad for some suitable family to enjoy the place. It has fruit, garden plot and most beautiful and convenient location. Apply to C. W. Worth. my27-2t

THE RURAL BUILDING and Loan Association will open the Twenty-Second series Saturday, June 7th, 1913. Series limited to 1,000 shares. Subscribe now. R. C. DeRosset, president; James Owen Reilly, secretary. Office, No. 118 Princess street. my25-tf

LOST OR STRAYED—Bird dog; brown setter named "Buck." Collar has my name on it. Small reward, if returned to Thos. E. Cooper, at American National Bank. my24-tf

FOR FINE Leather Goods and Trunks, see Uncle Charles, 16 South Front street. ap9-tf

FOR SALE—Three Jersey Bulls. Great grandsire of the famous Eminent, who sold for $10,000. Pedigrees, description and price list furnished on application. Pender Test Farm, Willard, S. C. my23-6t

FOR SALE—One family horse, safe and sound. Apply to Eduard Ahrens, care Ahrens Bros. my18-tf

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We will be glad of the opportunity to give your banking affairs our "Friendly Interest."

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